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Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hays and
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Christmas at Crossfield, the guest
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The roads are not safe to drive
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Joint Christmas Tree and Concert a Hugh Success

Capacity House Hears Children in Excellent Programme

The public school children with the Sunday Schools of the Anglican and United Church held their annual Christmas tree and concert in the U.F.A. hall on Friday evening. Long before 8 p. m. every available seat was occupied and nearly 400 enjoyed the grand programme.

The principal Mr. Hay of the school along with his able assistants, Misses Robertson, Methel and Collicut are to be congratulated on the very pleasing results of their labours. They were well repaid by the pleasure given the parents and friends of the scholars who enjoyed the whole evening.

Those who took leading parts were: Master Bruce Hewitt, Miss Florence Cruikshank; the girls of the C. G. I. T.; Miss Vyvienne Hewitt, Miss Cora Hall and Master Douglas Young.

A little play "Sir Rat" was excellent. Little Jean Gilchrist, Warty Hall, Scotty Green and Lexy Miller playing the role.

The folk dance by the little tots of Room 1 to being well rendered.

The upside down drill caused many good laughs, as also did the Eastern Band of Young Sheiks.

Two choruses were given by the United Church Sunday School. The dialogue sponsored by the Ascension Sunday School was most interesting. Miss Kathleen Fitzpatrick and James Hewitt seemed like two old stagers at the game.

A short play "Mother Goose" was also given by Rooms I and II, and was much enjoyed. The singing being well rendered.

But the great outstanding event of the evening was two short plays by the early teen boys and girls. "The Census" has had its leading lady Miss Margaret Fitzpatrick, and the leading gent, Ronnie MacEadyen with Miss Florence Cruikshank and Master Buttermann, Hewitt and MacEadyen as the children.

"The Spinners Gathering" was par excellent. Those taking part were: Misses Margaret Fitzpatrick, Wilda Laut, Helen Sharp, Kathleen Fitzpatrick, Marjory Young, Pauline Nasadyk, Mary Murdoch. The dresses were those worn about 40 years ago and the several parts were well acted.

Santa then came with his band of musical helpers and the tree was soon denuded of its many presents.

The pupils of Mr. Olsen also rendered some Christmas music which was much enjoyed.

The chairman of the evening was Mr. Frank Purvis.

The proceeds were \$99.10 and the money was disbursed as follows:

Expenses \$79.17 and the balance divided, United Sunday School, \$9.81; Ascension Sunday School, \$4.91 and Public School, \$4.91.

Here's hoping this will be the beginning again of many years of united bonds of the real spirit of Christmas. "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men."

Hockey

Monday, December 30

The John Deere Plow Team Calgary

Crossfield Rangers

Starting at 8 p.m. Admission 25c

Crossfield Defeat Calgary In Opening Hockey Game

Riverside Sheiks Easily Defeated by Local Puckchasers

The Crossfield Rangers defeated the Riverside Sheiks of Calgary in the opening game of the season here on Christmas afternoon with a score of 7 goals to 4. Despite the fact that the ice was anything but good owing to the recent chinook, the game was fast throughout and only good goal tending on the part of Red Shoemaker, between the pipes for Calgary kept the score down.

Crossfield had all the better of the play in the first period, and they kept the puck at the Calgary end most of the time, with a steady bombardment on Shoemaker, but he was turning them aside in big league fashion. 15 minutes after play before the first goal was scored; when Boucock counted on a solo rush. This was followed a few minutes later by an equalizer, when Dipple of Calgary got through on an individual rush. That ended the scoring in the first period.

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Local Residents In Auto Crash at Calgary

Mr. N. A. Johnson of Crossfield met with a serious auto accident in Calgary on Christmas night. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and son Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Nelson, Miss Alma Nelson and Mr. M. Nelson were in the car at the time and were crossing the intersection at the corner of 4th Street and 16th Ave. when a Chevrolet car driven by a Calgary man, and travelling at a high rate of speed crashed into them, hitting a rear wheel, completely turning the car around, the force of the impact throwing six of the seven passengers in Mr. Johnson's car to the ground.

All except two were more or less injured. Miss Nelson was taken to the hospital, while others, including Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and son Lloyd are badly bruised and shaken up. The car is a total wreck.

N. A. Crocker, in Auto Spill on Thursday Morning

W. H. Crocker met with an auto accident on Thursday morning, when on his way to Calgary with his daughter and son-in-law Mr. Jones, the car skidded and turned over on its side in the middle of the road. The occupants got off with a few bruises and a shaken-up, the damage to the car is estimated at about \$85.00 and fortunately is covered by insurance. Mrs. Jones was driving the car at the time.

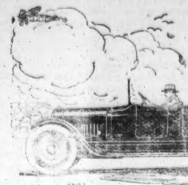
Bad roads east and west of town have raised havoc with cars during the past week. Dr. Whillans had the rear end of his car torn out no less than twice; while Ben Ansbey and Harry Johnston have had new rear ends put in their cars.

Crossfield Scots Burns Night

A special meeting will be held in the Oliver Hotel on January 1th at 4.30 p. m. so as to make arrangements about the eats, the haggis, bubbly jock, etc. The tickets to will soon be printed and ready for distribution.

Leslie Spivey, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Spivey of Crossfield, has been appointed assistant announcer for CJCJ, the Morning Albertan broadcasting station at Calgary. Mr. Spivey was successful in an elimination contest that included several would-be announcers.

The lady curlers have organized at Carstairs; starting with four rinks.



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The Old Year and the New

The old year is dying. It may be dead, passed into the limbo of the unrecalled past, before these words appear in print. A new year dawns, with all its hopes and fears, its possibilities for good or evil, its vista of 365 days of opportunity for each and every individual.

With the passing of the old year it is customary to take a swift backward glance in an endeavor to sum up its achievements, to realize its mistakes, to note those movements and developments which make for progress or point to retrogression, in order that from observation and study of past events we may carry profit into the future.

This old custom is a good one. Whether we are prepared, or not, to accept the extreme doctrine of Evolution,—that man descended from the apes,—or still adhere to the Bible story of creation, the vast majority of people do believe that God and nature intended that man should grow in stature, in intelligence, in power; that there should be a steady evolution; that progress should be made in the light of past experiences. Nothing in nature stands still; it either grows and improves, or declines and dies.

Viewing the year 1929 in this critical way, and now enjoying the advantages of that hindsight which is so much clearer than foresight, what does the year's events teach us? What lessons can we carry into the new year with profit to ourselves and to the advantage of our country and the world?

Thanks very largely to the onward march of medical science, and the untiring patience of the research workers of the world, the old year was not marred by any large epidemics of disease. To a greater extent than ever before people have accepted the doctrine that it is better to remove causes of disease, and to adopt measures of protection against disease, than it is to confine our efforts to the cure of disease after it has made its appearance. As a people we will be wiser if we even go systematically and vigorously follow this course throughout 1930. It has been demonstrated with increasing force that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. And this old adage applies to other evils as well as to disease.

During 1929, Canada witnessed a greater development of its wealth of natural resources and a consequent larger expansion in industrial activity and in its trade and commerce than in any previous twelvemonth in its history. Viewing the Dominion as a complete unit, and notwithstanding local setbacks here and there, the old year was one of prosperity for Canada and its people. That prosperity was developed along sound lines and through the application of sane policies. Our industrial and commercial growth has been the direct outcome of improved methods and by a nationally aggressive policy of reaching out into all parts of the world for markets in which to sell our surplus products. It is a policy that brought business and prosperity to Canada and at the same time benefited the world at large. Canada will do well to continue and enlarge upon the same policy during the new year.

In the wide sphere of world politics and affairs, Canada, as much as any country, has reason for congratulation over the trend of events. The general acceptance by the nations of the Briand-Kellogg pact outlawing war as an instrument of national policy, the highly satisfactory results of the visit of Premier Ramsay MacDonald to the United States and Canada, and the better understanding created between the two great branches of the English-speaking family, the gradual withdrawal of British troops from Germany, the developing "twins in peace" among all peoples everywhere, mark 1929 a potent year in the cause of permanent peace through the development of international goodwill. A standard has been set for 1930 to follow and place on an even firmer foundation.

In Western Canada, in particular, the old year has been a time of testing for the greatest of our great co-operative enterprises. It has been a year of difficulty and constant anxiety for those to whom the management of that great enterprise is entrusted, as well as to every producer and business interest in this country. Fortunately, as the year closes, all indications point to the wisdom of the decisions arrived at by the Wheat Pool, and to the ultimate success of the policies decided upon. Confidence in the principles of true co-operation should, therefore, be strengthened and carried as an asset on the first page of the 1930 ledger.

Contrasted with the sound business principles, based on the law of supply and demand, adhered to by the Wheat Pool, the old year has surely taught tens of thousands of people a bitter and costly lesson in regard to the evils of stock speculation. Stock values cannot be boosted indefinitely. Over-inflation can only end in one way,—the bursting of the balloon. There is a streak in our human make-up which leads us to gamble, an intense craving for wealth not earned through our own efforts by work, an overwhelming desire to get something for nothing, or next to nothing. It is a fallacy. The happy, contented man today is the one who, laughed at by his neighbors as slow and unduly cautious, has never been overtaken by a sudden crash and lost not an hour of sleep when speculative stocks tumbled and wiped out the life savings of thousands of less prudent men and women.

Finally, the old year must have impressed on Canadians a renewed realization of the fact that in their community, provincial and national life, as well as in the large sphere of their international intercourse and influence, there must be maintained that spirit of goodwill toward all classes, irrespective of varying political views, racial descent, or religious creeds, and a Christian tolerance towards all, which alone can promote real and lasting co-operative effort and advance the common interests of all. With some minor exceptions here and there, this spirit characterized the Canadian people throughout 1929. May there be no exceptions whatever in 1930, and Canada and the world will be best thereby.

Would Know Where Canada Stands

**Soviet Ambassador To Great Britain
Anxious About Relation With**

One of the first matters the new Soviet ambassador to Britain, Mr. Sokolovitch, wishes to discuss, according to the London Daily News, is the relation between the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics and the British Dominions, notably Canada. Apparently Canada is not anxious for any changes at the present time and in this connection the Russians want to know just where they stand.

Both the Daily Mail and Morning Post are carrying on intensive campaigns against the resumption in relations between Britain and Russia, the Mail asserting that the Soviets have no intention of honoring their promises and the Post calling for mass meetings to protest against their attitude towards religion.

First Yank: "Did you hear that the fire department got rid of their efficiency expert?"

Second Yank: "No?"

First Yank: "Well, they did. He put unbreakable glass in all the fire alarm boxes."

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Textbooks In Schools

**Matter Is Discussed In British House
Of Commons**

The important matter of accurate geographical and historical text books in the schools of Britain and the Empire was raised in the British House of Commons. Rt. Hon. Sir Charles Trevelyan, president of the Board of Education, remarked he did not think he could convene a conference of publishers of schoolbooks in England and the Dominions, as suggested from a Canadian source, but he would be glad to use his good offices to bring the publishers into touch with representatives of the various governments.

Sir Charles said he was not entirely satisfied that the geographical and historical text books now in use were thoroughly up-to-date. He hoped the publishers were paying attention to the recent report of the Board of Education's committee dealing with the matter.

Solved Very Real Difficulty
**Rottterdam Looked After Animals In
Antwerp Zoo During War**

During the bombardment of Antwerp, the firing and noise of the shells struck terror into the heart of the animals shut up in the great city zoo, and after the city was taken, the difficulty of how to feed the creatures seemed a very real one, when food was short for the people themselves. Then it was that an offer was received from Rotterdam that there would be a welcome given to the animals from the Antwerp Zoo until after the war.

Minard's Liniment For Coughs.

Will Build Huge Airport

**One Of The Best Equipped Airports
On Continent To Be Erected
In Winnipeg**

One of the best equipped airports on the continent, with facilities for land and sea planes, will be erected in Winnipeg under plans formulated by the special committee of the Industrial Development Board.

Following a meeting of the board and representatives of aircraft companies, J. M. Davidson, secretary of the special committee, announced the plans for the huge airport. Perfectly equipped landing fields will be constructed, Mr. Davidson said, and they will be large enough to take care of the city's requirements for many years to come. Steps are being taken to locate a suitable site for the airport.

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Baby's Own Tablets are sold by all medicine dealers or will be mailed upon receipt of price, 25 cents per box, by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Voice Of Marconi Spans Atlantic

**Explains Difficulties Of Early Days
When Inaugurating Radio From
England**

The voice of Senator Guglielmo Marconi spanned the Atlantic Ocean recently, just as did the letter "S" 28 years ago on the memorial occasion when a radio signal coming from England was heard for the first time in America.

But unlike that early day when only himself was listening, today an entire nation heard him tell of the difficulties overcome in making the first trans-Atlantic signal faintly audible. He spoke through an extensive network of broadcast stations linked to the National Broadcasting system in New York.

The voice of the pioneer radio inventor was brought to the United States by short waves, and a special receiver at Riverhead L.I. was linked by wire to the local studios and in turn to the network.

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Two Winter Exhibitions

**Western Canada Fox Show and
Western Turkey Show To Be
Held In Saskatoon**

Saskatoon will be the venue of at least two Western Canada shows next year according to reports submitted at a meeting of the directors of the Saskatchewan Industrial Exhibition.

The Western Canada Turkey Show will be held at Saskatoon, February 18-21, inclusive, and the Western Canada Fox Show will take place in Saskatoon next November.

Archie Wilson, president of the local fair board, announced that the new winter fair building, being erected at a cost of approximately \$100,000, will be completed in about a month.

The Saskatoon winter fair will be held March 11-14, inclusive.

Minard's Liniment For Distemper.

Use Of Waste Gas

**Experiments Under Way In Saskatchewan
For Use Of Gas In Connection
With Clay Products**

Extensive experiments are under way in Saskatchewan in connection with the use of waste gas in the manufacture of clay products. This work will be completed within the next few weeks, when the members of the commission engineering into the situation will draw up their reports for submission to the Department of the Interior.

The tarpon of Florida can cover eighty miles in an hour.

Wily Dope Ring Smuggling Drugs

**Canadian Health Is Menaced By Work
Of Foreign Operators**

In a previous article it was pointed out that only during the last hundred years or so, have the most common of the harmful narcotics—morphine, cocaine and heroin been known and used. And during that time, a problem of utmost gravity has arisen—the drug habit, a habit that is a constant menace to the health of almost every nation, and which organized and wealthy gangs of unscrupulous scoundrels find it in their interest to foster.

In Ottawa, and throughout the provinces and municipalities, we have well-equipped organizations to combat the drug evil. A brief summary of some of the things that these officers have encountered in their work, will give you an idea of the astounding ingenuity with which drug operators work, and of the immensity of the problem we have on our hands.

The utmost secretiveness surrounds the work of the drug operator. It is seldom that the high-ups are caught, and yet in every transaction for the sale of drugs there is a man behind. Some of them have become famous through their illicit traffic, and they are always, or nearly always, clever enough to make their petty pedlars, who are usually addicts and will make almost any sacrifice for the money, to keep the secret of the particular drug they crave, "take the fall," which is the term used in the dope-peddling craft for "going to the penitentiary."

When a man is in jail, and has the hypnotic need to buy drugs, or has earned them through getting additional recruits for the operators, the weirdest means are used of getting drugs to him inside the institution. The police have found drugs concealed in a woman's hair, hidden under postage stamps on a letter, sewn in neckties or some other part of clothing, in canes, fountain pens or cigarettes. A man has been known to take a hypnotic needle into jail by hiding it in his nostril, or a ten-dollar bill, with which to buy narcotics, in his ear, or the drug itself, hidden in the rubber heel of a shoe. These are deceptions that would not occur to a normal mind.

There is no need to consider the diseases with which the habit is spread. The covert invitation "Come to our snow party," that is given to young boys and girls, means that somebody is getting paid for it. When it is realized that a boy of 24 years of age is convicted in an American penitentiary, had before he was apprehended, taken about \$20,000 worth of drugs, and had never worked a day or earned a dollar in his life, you have some idea of the magnitude of the problem.

Drug pedlars charge their poor deceptions for what they can. The master minds in the ring gauge the market, and sometimes create a shortage just to get higher prices. It is then that crime becomes rampant, because so great is the distress of the habitue that although he has no courage except in this one direction, he will do almost anything to get what his system demands. Cocaine frequently brings \$500 an ounce, and the victim usually has to steal this money.

The ports of entry into Canada have to be watched with eagle eyes by the narcotic division of the federal civil service. They recently uncovered a novel scheme at Vancouver, which operators were using to get contraband drugs in here. They had already discovered them in trunks with false bottoms, dried fish, in false lighting fixtures, which pedlars had fastened to the ceiling of the ship, but now they find that they have to go out to meet the ship, or the drugs will reach shore just the same. The wily drug dealer had been dropping his cargo of drugs overboard, encased in watertight cans. Attached to the cans were little wooden floats. After the ship had docked, and the officers had finished their search, the operators, in peace, went out and picked up their cans. Sometimes the man carrying the profitable drugs will take out the whole wall of his stateroom, the partition being cut where the lower berth joins the wall, he puts his drugs in the wall, and goes on his way as far as to make a good painting job of the whole affair in order to avoid detection.

The activities of the narcotic division have been concentrated recently in breaking a Montreal ring, which has been operating between Montreal and Detroit. They finally succeeded in catching their quarry, "with the goods," and they found when they did that a well regulated

traffic of drugs had been carried on for years between those two cities with Pullman porters as the carriers. When the arrest and conviction of this "higher-up" took place, the price of cocaine went up \$45 an ounce over the traffic is controlled by a few powerful, conscienceless operators.

There are no limits to which these people will go in order that they may pursue their illicit trade. There should be no limits allowed to which Canada should go in order to free herself of a danger that may become a curse.

It is worth almost any amount of trouble and patience, and it means that, to prevent one more young Canadian from joining the army of those to whom scientists refer as "the living dead," that is to say, the dope fiends.

Has Praise For Canada

**British Visitor Gives Glowing Description
Of Canadian Cities To
Manchester Audience**

A glowing description of the general appearance of Canadian cities was presented to the Manchester Geographical Society by George Ginger. After speaking of his impression of the intense loyalty in the Dominion to the British Crown as the ideal of British unity, Mr. Ginger passed on to discuss the general appearance of such cities as Toronto and Hamilton. Here, he said, was every indication of great prosperity and rapid progress. There were no slum areas, but wide, spacious streets, fine trees, large open spaces and parks, and beautiful modern buildings. In the residential districts there were unfenced grass plots level with footpaths in front of all houses, and virtually every house had its veranda, where the people almost lived in the summer time.

There was an absence of any kind of public house or drinking saloon in these cities, which seemed to have a direct effect upon them. No evidence of poverty, vice or distress was to be seen, and the place of the public house seemed to be taken by palatial and comfortable cafes to which whole families went together. There appeared to be no place for men to congregate by themselves, hence most of their spare time was spent with their wives and families.

Each city vied with its neighbors. Mr. Ginger went on, in trying to impress its visitors with its importance in some way or another. It was as though Canada had caught the American boastfulness, but there seemed to him no doubt that Great Britain could learn much from Canada.

For one thing there was a strict control of advertising boardings. In the city these are artistic, neatly framed, and of reasonable size. Moreover, they had not noticed any spoiling of the countryside by big and aggressive sign boards.

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Burwash Has New Theory

**Explorer Thinks Franklin Party Tried
Twice To Reach Mainland**

A new theory which accounts for the fact that the bodies of only about one-third of the personnel of Franklin's Arctic expedition aboard the "Terror" and the "Erebus" have been found was broached by Major L. T. Burwash, of the North-West Territories Branch of the Department of the Interior.

Major Burwash, who has just returned to Ottawa from an 18 months' trip through the sub-Arctic and Arctic regions along the north coast of Canada, thinks the Franklin party made two attempts to reach the mainland from King William Island, after being frozen in at Victory Point on the north shore.

From Victory Point the party, numbering at the time 105 men, had been traced down the west coast of King William Island to Starvation Point on the northern tip of Adelaide peninsula. Bodies of about one-third of the personnel have been found along this stretch.

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Water Power Development In Three Prairie Provinces Presages Era of Great Expansion

With four large undertakings at present under construction, which will ultimately provide 445,000 horse-power, hydro-electric development in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta is more active than at any other period in the history of these provinces. Two of the undertakings are situated on the Winnipeg River, in Manitoba, and have ultimately designed capacities totalling 325,000 horse-power; another on the Churchill River, in Saskatchewan, will generate 84,000 horse-power, and the fourth on the Bow River, in Alberta, will develop 36,000 horse-power. All four undertakings are being constructed under special license from the Department of the Interior, and the department maintains resident inspecting engineers at each to ensure that the works are safely and efficiently constructed in accordance with the terms of the license and the Dominion Water Power Regulations.

In Manitoba, the lower of the two new plants on the Winnipeg River is being constructed by the North Western Power Company Limited, a subsidiary of the Winnipeg Electric Company. It is the Seven Sisters Falls, just above the confluence of the Whitemouth River and about twenty miles upstream from the town of Lac du Bonnet. The distance in an air-line to Winnipeg is approximately sixty miles. The project embraces a power station on the river, six 37,500-horse-power units, a solid concrete masonry dam with regulating sluices and free spillway to span the river, low dikes on both banks extending several miles upstream, and a rock-cut immediately below the plant to lower the tail-race level and obtain a normal operating head of about 66 feet. Work was commenced in October, 1928, and excellent progress has been made to date. Three units are being initially installed and are expected to be ready for operation under partial head early in 1931. With the completion of the Seven Sisters development the portion of the river flow which now passes down the Pinaua channel to supply the Pinaua plant of the Winnipeg Electric Company, will be stopped, the plant abandoned, and the entire river flow utilized in the new development.

Further up the Winnipeg River another new project is actively under construction at Slave Falls, by the city of Winnipeg. This site is situated about five miles below the municipality's Point du Bois development and the undertaking comprises construction on both sides of an island a short distance below the falls. The right channel will be spanned by a rock-filled dam while the power station, sluiceway, and spillway dams will be located in the left channel. The power station will contain eight 12,000 h.p. units operating under a head of about 30 feet, two of which units will comprise the initial installation. The general contract for the works was let in June, 1929, and it is expected to have the initial installation ready for operation in the latter part of 1931.

Saskatchewan's first hydroelectric development is now under construction at Island Falls, on the Churchill River, a short distance west of the Manitoba-Saskatchewan boundary. Here, the Churchill River Power Company, a subsidiary of the Hudson Bay Mining and Smelting Company, is building a power station designed to contain six 14,000 h.p. units to operate under a head of about 66 feet. Three of these units are being initially installed. The power station is situated in the main river channel and is flanked to the north by a sluiceway dam, while to the south in a natural depression the main sluiceway dam is located, and in addition several earth-cut dams require to be built. Construction materials were delivered to the site during the winter of 1928-29,

and camps constructed. With the spring, active construction commenced and has been prosecuted up to the present with expedition. It is expected that power will be available towards the end of 1930 for delivery over a sixty-five-mile transmission line to the Flin Flon mine.

In Alberta, the Calgary Power Company placed in operation on October 22, 1929, the first unit of its new development at the Ghost site on the Bow River, about thirty-three miles west of Calgary. This was the culmination of a very active period of construction which began in August, 1928. The power station on which is designed for an initial installation of two 18,000-h.p. units under a head of 105 feet, with provision made for a third of like capacity, is situated in the main river channel and is flanked on each side by a massive concrete dam which spans the river. To the south a hydraulic earth-fill dam extends for a distance of 2,000 feet to the main sluiceway dam, while to the north an earth-fill dam connects the structures to high ground. Power from this development will be fed into the company's extensive transmission system which, when complete, will extend from Edmonton on the north to near the International Boundary on the south.

These developments, which will provide large quantities of low-cost electric energy for use in mining, industry and general commercial and domestic use, presage an era of industrial expansion which is of the utmost importance to the progress of the three Prairie Provinces.

Old Buffalo Robes

National Museum Of Canada Seeking Specimens For Scientific Purposes

The archaeologist of the National Museum of Canada at Ottawa, is in the market for a most unusual article. He says he wants to hear from people who have very old buffalo robes made from the real "buffalo" properly known as the American bison. If on examination of the back or skin side of the robes, not the hair side, they find any sign of paint. It seems that many of the Indians of the plains used designs and even a sort of calendar on buffalo robes. These are now rather rare as the Indians no longer are able to get buffalo robes and as they have given up most of their old customs, including much of their art of painting on skins.

Even an old torn robe or half of a damaged robe may have upon it painting or painted lines, possibly faded and dim, yet of scientific value. In case the owner does not care to sell the robe to the archaeologist or asks a prohibitive price for it, he could send the science of ethnology a good turn by allowing the painting to be photographed or sketched for the National Museum.

Across Top Of The World

Proposed Air Route From Britain To Vancouver Over Arctic Seas

No official statement was forthcoming at Ottawa in connection with the proposal suggested to Hon. P. C. Larkin, Canadian high commissioner in London, England, by A. G. Watkins, well known investigator of the Royal Geographical Society. According to cabled news despatches, Mr. Watkins had submitted to Mr. Larkin a tentative scheme designed to blaze an air route across the top of the world, from Great Britain to Vancouver, B.C.

It was recalled here that when Premier King was in western Canada recently he made reference to such a proposal.

It is understood the immediate activities of Mr. Watkins will be concerned chiefly with exploration of the Greenland ice-cap, with a view to ascertaining the suitability of places in that region for air bases. While information is somewhat indefinite, it is thought the plan calls for a careful investigation which will last for two or three days.

Egg Laying Contest

The results of the egg laying contest at Agassiz, B.C., for the second week showed an increase of production of five per cent. over the first week, and the leadership of the pens changed with the University of British Columbia taking the lead, having gained it from third place the previous week.

Germany contains 21 cities with a population of more than a quarter of a million.

When prosperity comes in at the door, radios scream out the window.

Fish From The North

The Pas Is Clearing House For Big Shipments From Northern Lakes

From all directions around The Pas, great loads of fish are coming in for shipment to points in Canada and the United States. Most of the fish that have arrived recently, have been whitefish and trout. Shipments of pickerel and sturgeon will come in later. The fish are coming in by train and by sleigh. Some consignments have come in by train from Flin Flon and Cold Lake, as well as Cranberry Lake. A number of fishermen have hauled directly to The Pas by team.

The bulk of the fish will go to the United States markets. The whitefish is especially acceptable in the cities of the republic. The North is being well advertised by these shipments, for, on every one of the big boxes containing fish is printed in large letters "Produce of Canada."

Find Rare Mineral

Trials Shipment Of Beryllium Is Made From Manitoba

Since the first announcement that beryllium existed in Manitoba was made, there have been numerous inquiries for the somewhat rare substance, according to officials of the Jack Nutt Mines, Limited. A trial shipment of this mineral was made during the summer to New York, and it was found to have a satisfactory metallic content. Since then requests have been received from several European concerns, principally from Germany, as well as a number in the United States.

An effort will be made this winter to determine as to whether beryllium can be obtained in sufficient quantities on the Jack Nutt properties to warrant commercial production and shipment.

Fire Clay Deposit

Valuable Discovery Is Made Near Aqueduct, Sask.

As a possible valuable development along the new line of the Canadian National Railways now being constructed for 50 miles southwest from Mawer, Sask., is a newly discovered deposit of fire clay class.

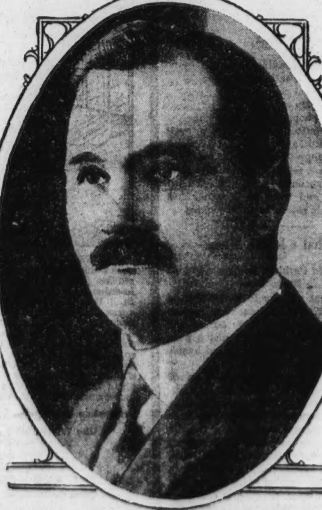
Arthur Bond, shooter Hill, Sask., who farms about three miles from the new line of the railway near Aqueduct, Sask., has investigated the possibilities of this deposit. It is stated to be good material for firebrick clay, pottery and building bricks. Reports of the University of Saskatchewan's ceramics department have been favorable.

Revives Old Idea

Sudden death coming to Richard Bartell, 46, heir to the Lord Westbury, has revived discussion of the superstition of a curse resting upon meddlers with the tombs of the Pharaohs. Bartell was secretary to Howard Carter, whose investigation in Egypt disclosed the treasures of ancient Tutankhamen. His is the tenth death among people concerned with the exploration of the old Pharaoh's sepulchre.

In one year, a single oyster can produce 1,000,000,000 new ones.

CANADA'S NEW FINANCE MINISTER



Hon. Charles A. Dunning, whose appointment as the new finance minister for the Dominion was announced by Premier King following a meeting of the cabinet. Mr. Dunning will also continue to administer the affairs of the Department of Railways and Canals as acting minister.

Development Of Reward Wheat

Champion Wheat Variety Evolved From Cross Between Marquis and Prelude

Reward wheat, a hard red spring variety with which Joseph H. B. Smith, of Wolf Creek, Alberta, won the world's wheat championship, at the 1929 International Grain and Hay Show, Chicago, is closely related to the Marquis wheat. It was developed from a cross between Marquis and Prelude, in 1912, at the Canadian Government Central Experimental Farm in Ottawa, with the hope of developing a variety that would combine the early ripening habit of Prelude with the greater productiveness and better straw of Marquis. The cross resulted in several exceedingly interesting and promising combinations, one of which received the name of Reward. This new variety, as it now exists, matures in less than 100 days from the time of planting or about 14 days earlier than Marquis takes to mature. Reward produces an excellent quality of flour and a very fine appearing kernel. The straw is of medium length and excellent strength. It was first released to farmers in Western Canada and elsewhere in commercial quantities in 1928, and within two years had captured the world's championship.

Dentists and Cancer

Mouth Cancer May Result From Irritation Caused By Teeth Irregularities

To the dental profession goes a large share of credit for the abrupt decrease in mouth cancer, during the past five years, according to Dr. Thomas S. Cullen, of Johns Hopkins University, president of the Maryland Board of Health, and one of the continent's foremost cancer specialists, who spoke in Toronto recently. He mentioned the recent dental campaign in Manitoba as an example of splendid missionary work being conducted by the profession.

Cancer frequently results from irritation caused by two of similar substances meeting in the human body, he said. Ragged teeth meeting soft mouth tissue furnished one illustration, but Canadian and American dentists had so improved the teeth of their respective nations, that mouth-cancers so caused had greatly decreased.

Catch Giant Sturgeon

Big Fish Is Taken By Fisherman In Northern Lake

A sturgeon, six feet long and weighing 130 pounds, a record catch for Northern Manitoba, has been taken out of the waters of Lake Athapuskow by Bert Hayes, well-known northern fisherman.

The catch was made during commercial fishing operations of a group of men at the Hayes' camp near Mile 68 on the Flin Flon railway.

The battle started before the big sturgeon was successfully landed will go down in north history as a classic. It took the combined efforts of Hayes and a companion to haul the net to shore.

Vegetation puts back into the air as much water as is carried by all the rivers of the world.

Pioneering In Northern Areas Responsible For Realization Of Immensity Of Our Heritage

Beware Of Quick Profits

Stocks Offering Large Interest On Investment Should Be Rejected

A subscriber's enquiry as to the value of certain oil stocks, on which a salesman promises fifteen per cent. per annum, indicates that the ventures are again at their wretched trade and that the lesson of the recent cataclysm on the stock exchanges has not yet been learned.

The fact cannot be too strongly stressed that no reputable concern offering stock for sale makes any definite promises as to profits. Not all oil stocks are of the wildcat variety but the majority offered for sale in the rural districts are and should be avoided like the plague.

The salesman who offers stock for sale with a promise of fifteen per cent. interest on the investment should be unceremoniously shown the door.

It is safe to estimate that not more than ten per cent. of the Canadian people have an adequate conception of their own country insofar as its potentialities are concerned. While the many are well posted on Canada's historical past, only the few are intimately acquainted with its immediate present, and fewer still have any idea of its certain future in those directions which mean world prestige.

The fact is, says the Calgary Herald, that for many years Canadians were content to live and confine their whole interest to the southern fringe of the Dominion land area. Agrarian pioneering in Western Canada and mineral prospecting in the northern areas of Ontario and Quebec brought to the masses of the people a vision of something greater than they had believed possible. With the widening of vision came a kindling of the flame of adventure in the minds of wanderers and through these men and women we are learning to know that Canada is in all ways a land much bigger and better than our fathers ever dreamed.

And still to the bulk of people up-to-the-minute knowledge of Canadian progress and development is at best but fragmentary and lacking the certitude that makes for conviction. Probably the reason for this is the fact that progress and development within the past decade has been so rapid that opportunity has not offered for a gathering together of the salient facts and the setting down of them in such order as would make a story accurate and at the same time interesting enough to appeal to the masses. At any rate no Canadian investigator with a writer's pen has yet undertaken such a task.

However, the need, and a real need it is, has been met by a United States writer in the person of Courtney Ryley Cooper. From his farther distance viewpoint Mr. Cooper seemed to get a truer perspective than came to men having only a close-up view. Also it is likely that by his training as circus advance agent, theatrical man, wild west show manager and author, he more readily grasped big ideas and visioned them in the large rather than from small angles. Whatever the reason, it is a fact that Mr. Cooper saw a big thing in Canadian hinterland development and as an author he went after it.

The result is a volume titled "Go North, Young Man." In it the reader travels with the author from Rouyn, in the east, to far northern Alberta and the Territories in the west, stopping here and there along the way, whether the way be by canoe, snow shoe, rail, tramp along the railway grade in advance of construction, riding in the caboose or by dog sleigh or, as is now the popular method of transport, by aeroplane. Hardy prospectors, navies, the flotam and jetmen of outpost camps, men and women, are met with, along with engineers, geologists, millmen, men with their millions to invest—each lending their particular bit of color to the story the author tells. A most wonderful story and one calculated to bring to the minds of the people of Canada such a conception of their country as they have never had before, and one which, even wonderful as it may appear, is still far short of the reality which is yet to be.

Tree Is Puzzle

One of the strangest trees ever seen in England, is growing at Iwer Heath. It is a common willow tree in all points, but from its trunk are growing a mulberry tree, a cherry tree, and a gooseberry bush. It has proven a puzzle to agriculturists in the neighborhood.

Water—"What will you have, sir?"

Diner—"Anything but a minute steak—I'm in a hurry!"



"Julia, the lock of hair you gave me was not yours. I will never forgive you."
"Well, the verses you wrote to me were not your own."—Buen Humor, Madrid.



(By Anabelle Worthington)

A charming adaptation of Princess Alice's wardrobe seems to emphasize the smart curved fat hip-line. The hip bands merge, into panels at either side of front and at centre-back, giving considerable length to the figure.

Circular insets at sides and a godet at centre-front, add a delightful flared touch to hem.

The Vinnet neckline shows Spanish influence in scarf tie with fringed ends. Sleeves are fitted with darts below the elbows.

The medium chosen for Style No. 3187 is a tweed printed silk, indispensable in the smart woman's wardrobe this season. It can be worn so nicely for a shopping trip and then to luncheon or an afternoon game of bridge. It is also lovely for office or travel, particularly in dark brown or rain tones.

It is designed in sizes 16, 18 years, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust.

It is almost like making a one-piece dress, with the circular godet and circular side sections stitched to dress following perforated lines for same. The saving is immense.

Black crepe satin can be cleverly manipulated, using the dull surface for scarlet collar and circular insets of silk.

Printed transparent velvet in dark wine tone is very effective for afternoons.

Royal blue sheer velvet is stunning for formal afternoons and Sunday night supper wear.

Canton crepe, crepe de chine, crepe marocain, crepe Roma and wool crepe appropriate.

Pattern Price 25 cents.

How To Order Patterns

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"How many buttons on your coat?"
"Six."
"If I took off four, what would you have?"
"A thrashing from mother."
—Fantoche, Mexico.

W. N. U. 1817

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The \$160,000,000 income tax reduction resolution was signed by President Hoover, at Washington.

France's largest aeroplane, the D-870, passed its initial tests satisfactorily, lifting a load of five tons after a run of 30 meters.

John McGregor, prominent real estate man, was elected president of the Canadian Club of Winnipeg, at the annual meeting held recently.

British United Press is reliably informed that Ludwig Kleinwachter, formerly Austrian consul in New York, has been appointed to represent Austria at Ottawa.

Every one of the 45,000 votes cast in the recent civic elections in Winnipeg, will be carefully examined by a commission investigating legal and illegal plural voting.

Little probability exists at the moment that legislation will be introduced at the coming session of parliament for payment of relief to dependents of prisoners serving time in Canadian penitentiaries.

Cruiser cars equipped with radios may be adopted by the Montreal police department in the near future. Detroit and many other American cities have already established this service and Montreal may follow their example.

A delegation representing the Federated Association of Letter Carriers visited recently upon Hon. P. J. Veniot, postmaster-general, to interview him regarding salaries and working conditions of workers in the postal service.

The World's Poultry Congress

Canada To Take Important Part In Congress To Be Held In London, England

Preparations for the fourth World's Poultry Congress, which will be held in London, England, in July, 1930, are well in hand. Canada will take a very important part in this Congress. The Dominion is fortunate in having as a leader in poultry matters, Mr. F. C. Eiford, the Dominion Poultry Husbandman, who is the president of the World's Poultry Science Association, under whose auspices congresses are held.

Mr. Eiford recently concluded a tour of the countries in Europe and the near east, and has returned with the assurance that the great nations of the world are preparing to make exhibits and participate in the presentation of papers on poultry topics.

The London Congress, like the one held in Ottawa, in 1927, will include a livestock exhibit in which hundreds of varieties of fowls and rabbits will be displayed. Canada's exhibit in this section will include several hundred head. The national exhibits for Canada are being prepared by the Federal and Provincial Departments of Agriculture. The purpose of this section will be chiefly to illustrate the part being played by education, research and economics in the development of the poultry industry.

The Congress will last for a full week in which five sessions will be held simultaneously. In these sessions papers will be presented and discussed on breeding and incubation, nutrition and rearing, diseases and their control, economics including marketing, and education. An elaborate program of excursions and entertainments is being provided for the delegates, a large number of whom it is expected will be from Canada.

Alberta Clay Products
The Alberta Clay Products Company, Medicine Hat, is reported to have sufficient orders in sight to keep the plant fully employed for the next twelve months. It is now running a day and a night shift.

Next to grape wine it is said that Japanese sake, or rice wine, is the oldest alcoholic beverage known to man, its use dating back over 2,000 years.

A twelve-cylinder automobile attracted much attention at the recent automobile show, at Paris, France.



"Adolf, if you flirt with this shameless person, there will be a misfortune."—Lustige Sachse, Leipzig.

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Prevention Of Colds

New York Doctor Gives Ten Rules To Follow

In November there were 400 deaths in New York from pneumonia, and 25 deaths from influenza, and the civic health commissioner, Dr. Wynne, has broadcast some general advice to citizens, advice which is probably as good anywhere as in New York.

Dr. Wynne set forth 10 rules for preventing colds. These are:

1. Eat plenty of nourishing food.
2. Drink plenty of water; bathe frequently.
3. Sleep eight hours each night.
4. Breathe deeply while in the open, but through the nose.
5. Make certain that your home is well ventilated.
6. Make certain that the air is not only fresh and of the right temperature, but that it contains moisture.
7. Dress according to the weather. Do not permit yourself to chill.
8. Avoid using other's towels in homes where there are colds.
9. Keep away from persons who have colds.
10. If you contract a cold, go to a doctor. Don't resort to nostrums.

After all even expert advice is merely the application of common sense as stated above. A good deal of ailment in the winter is caused by defective ventilation and overheating.—St. Catharines Standard.



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Fashion

3139

(By Anabelle Worthington)

A black transparent velvet universal for restaurant and afternoon occasions with its dipping pointed hemline emphasizing the chic femininity of new elegance in mode.

The charming cape collar and jabot is of beige sheer metal cloth knotted at end of becoming open V-neckline.

Narrow belt marks higher waistline of molded bodice. Sleeves are slenderly fitted below the elbows.

The classic arrangement of loose hanging panels of skirt, stitched in pointed effect below the hips, create a youthfully slim appearance.

Style No. 3139 is designed in sizes 16, 18 years, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust.

It is really very simple to make, and the saving enormous.

It is tremendously smart in crepe Elizabeth in dark dahlia purple shade.

Another interesting idea, decidedly quaint and pretty, is dull black silk crepe with collar and jabot in egg-shell shade.

Printed sheer velvet in dark brown tones with collar and jabot of harmonizing shade cañon crepe is attractive.

Sheer metal cloth is exclusive fabric for formal afternoons and Sunday night occasions, and adapts itself admirably to this model.

Georgette crepe, crepe de chine, crepe Roma and crepe satin appropriate.

Pattern Price 25 cents.

How To Order Patterns

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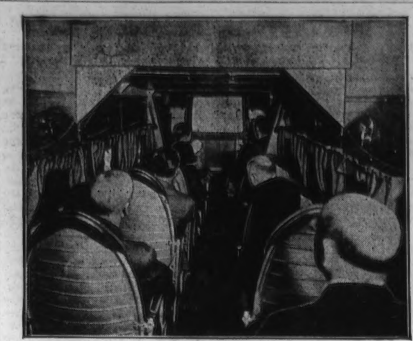
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Send no money now. We will send you the pattern free of charge.

If you don't believe it, figure it out for yourself. And don't forget the leap years.



View of cabin of transcontinental passenger plane where passengers are entertained with movies during the flight

FLYING MOVIES ARE LATEST THRILLS FOR TRANSCONTINENTAL TRAVELLERS

Cloud Cinemas Made Possible By Symposium Of American Scientific Genius

American inventive genius in the laboratories of several of our largest corporations recently joined hands to make a Jules Verne dream come true.

Only a few years ago anyone who predicted that we would have flying theatres would have run the grave risk of being rushed to the observation ward of the nearest asylum.

Yet the flying movies are here. Within the last two weeks this miracle of modern science has been perfected and regular passengers bound from coast to coast in 48 hours are witnessing motion pictures above the clouds.

Newsreels, comedies and super production click off in perfect shape 100,000 feet in the air travelling 100 miles an hour!

The miracles reputed to the ancient magicians seem insignificant when compared with the fact that you may now lounge comfortably in your big armchair, watching a complete motion picture show while flying over the tallest peaks of the Rockies.

Meticulous scientists, working in distant and unrelated laboratories made possible this really astounding achievement. The Edison Lamp

Works of the General Electric Company, built a special lamp to use in the air movie camera; the National Carbon Company provided special Eveready battery equipment and the Duograph Company constructed an extremely light aluminum projector. Universal Pictures Corporation and Transcontinental Air Transport offered the "planes and pictures."

The unique difficulties in the way of complete success of the flying movies are the question of light for the camera was all-important. It was obviously impossible to draw on the ignition system of the airplane. So the National Carbon Company engineers put together 14 dry cells and hooked them up in such an ingenious way that they operated the air movie show for six hours running.

This symposium of technical brains resulted in the complete success of the flying theatres and from now on air movies will be one of the big thrills of the two day trip from coast to coast.

Alaska Leads In Airports

Has Ratio Of One For Each 908 Inhabitants

The Alaska gold rush days have been lost in the wash of scores of airplane propellers, and the northernmost possession of the United States stands now in the enviable position of leading the world in the number of airports and landing fields in comparison to its population. With some 60,000 people, and 65 airports, Alaska has one of the latter for each 908 inhabitants.

Nearly 100 sculptors are now employed in carving works of art at the Leghorn alabaster factory in Italy.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

CREAM CARAMELS

- 1 cup table syrup.
- 1 cup cream or rich milk.
- 1 teaspoon vanilla.
- 2 cups granulated sugar.

Mix together the sugar, the syrup and half the cream, and bring slowly to the boiling point, stirring well. Cook until the mixture will form a soft ball when dipped in cold water.

Then add the remaining cream and cook again until the candy forms a hard ball when subjected to the water test. Flavor with the vanilla and pour into a buttered pan. Do not stir the candy more than is necessary during the cooking, as stirring will cause the sugar to granulate.

... OATMEAL DROP CAKES ...

- ¾ cup butter.
- 1 cup sugar.
- 2 eggs.
- ¾ cup milk.
- 2 cups rolled oats.
- 2½ cups flour.
- 1 teaspoon baking powder.
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon.
- 1 teaspoon nutmeg.
- 1 cup chopped seed raisins.

Cream butter, add sugar, eggs well beaten, milk, and rolled oats. Mix and sift dry ingredients. Add flour mixture to first mixture, thoroughly mix.

Drop by spoonfuls on a greased baking pan and bake in a rather hot oven. This makes 32 to 36 cookies.

What a Billion Means

Nice Little Problem To Work Out In Spare Time

It is just as easy to say billion as million. The word has been spoken frequently and familiarly during the recent affair in Wall St., and a public, grown used to large figures, hasn't been so much impressed.

Charles Ransom, lumber man of Memphis, Tenn., turns the microscope of practical imagination on a billion dollars and dramatizes it. Here is how it figures out:

If a billion had been accumulated 500 years before Christ, had not been allowed interest, and had been paid out at the rate of \$1,000 per day every day since, up to and including November 21, 1929, there would still be \$112,868,000 left.

If you don't believe it, figure it out for yourself. And don't forget the leap years.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

DECEMBER 29

FELLOWSHIP THROUGH WORSHIP

Golden Text: "He entered, as His custom was, into the synagogue on the sabbath day."—Luke 4:16.

Lesson: Nehemiah 8, 1-12; Micah 4, 1-3; Psalm 122:1-5; Matthew 23:18-20; Hebrews 10:19-25.

Devotional Reading: Revelation 7, 9-17.

Explanations and Comments

The Joy Of Being In The Midst Of A Worshipping Multitude, Psalm 122.—Psalm 122-134 bear each the heading "A Song Of Ascents." It is thought that they were pilgrim songs sung by the Israelites on their annual pilgrimages to the Holy City at the time of the religious festivals. "The exquisite gems of imagery with which these Psalms are adorned add to the attractiveness of the whole collection yielding us the most pleasing impression of the simple, gracious piety of the Israelites of the later ages."

Friends came to the Psalmist and invited him to make one of their party for such a pilgrimage to the temple. He recalls in this Psalm 122, the joy this invitation gave him, his delight at actually standing within the gates of Jerusalem, the Holy City, so compactly built together. How he gloried in its possession of the Davidic line of kings, its tribunals for judgment, and its sacred temple crowning all. There he meditated upon its history, upon the constant going up to it of the tribes of old in testimony of their relationship to Jehovah, to offer thanks unto Him.

The Psalmist's heart is stirred to earnest importunity, that all shall pray for the praise and prosperity of Jerusalem. "The last four verses of the Psalm breathe a spirit of the noblest, most unselfish patriotism. Not for his own sake, but for the sake of his brethren—the people at large—and for the sake of his God, the temple and its service, he wishes peace to Jerusalem and calls upon others to wish her peace. With love to Israel and love to Jehovah, there is naturally united a warm affection for Jerusalem, a hearty interest in her welfare."—Pierpont.

In full assurance of faith, having our hearts and our bodies purified, let us hold fast to the confession of our hope that it waver not; for He is faithful who promised.

Let us consider one another, "taking into account and weighing our neighbors' circumstances and especially his risks, and this with a view, not to exasperating criticism, but with a view to lighten them to love and good works, acknowledging honest endeavor and making allowance for imperfection."

Dry Ice

Is Made From Carbon Dioxide and May Soon Replace Natural Product

"Dry ice" made from the exhaust of factory smokestacks and the exhaust of automobiles, was suggested as a possible substitute for natural ice by George B. Bright, ice manufacturer of Detroit, in addressing the third session of the National Association of Ice Industries at New York. This "dry ice" which is manufactured from carbon dioxide, is being produced in small quantities. Mr. Bright said, and only awaits further research and developments to become a possible substitute for ice in the home, it is at present used chiefly for refrigerators and ice cream trucks.

Traveller (to porter): "How long will the next train be?"

Porter: "Engine and six carriages."

Traveller: "You're smart, aren't you?"

Porter: "No, sir. Smart's gone 'ome for 'is dinner."

Japan produces more feature motion pictures than any other country, according to the U.S. Department of Commerce.

The Chinese calendar is traced back to 2300 B.C.

Britishers Interested In Warmer Homes

Manufacturers Unable To Satisfy Demand For Boilers and Radiators

The recent severe winters in Britain, the strain put upon their style of plumbing and unusual accidents from freezing within the homes seems to have caused the hardy Briton to consider more efficient heating services indoors. Hitherto most British who saw fire felt warm all winter or, at any rate, they didn't feel the piercing cold we Canadians would over there. We would demand winter heat—and now so does John Bull, it seems. The Ottawa Trade and Commerce Department reports declare that during the past few months there has been an improved demand for radiators and boilers, and home manufacturers have been unable to satisfy the demand and deliveries are being delayed from six to eight weeks. One well-known American manufacturer of radiators and boilers are putting down, through their United Kingdom organization, the necessary plant for the production of their products on a large scale. In the meantime, Swedish manufacturers are attempting to market a range of wrought steel radiators, which can, of course, be used in conjunction with other cast iron and steel boilers. Several Canadian firms have already tried this market, but never does there appear to have been such a quickening of interest in central heating as this year.

Has Private Army

Duke Of Athol Allowed To Keep Armed Retainers

The only British subject permitted to maintain a private army has celebrated his 58th birthday. The man who owns his own armed forces is the Duke of Athol, holder of 19 titles. The Duke's retinue of armed retainers, a picturesque survival of olden days, is an officially recognized force. Queen Victoria once presented colors to the army, numbering about 300. All the members of the Athol Highlanders served during the World War in the Scottish Horse.

Technical High School For Moose Jaw

The Saskatchewan Government has expressed its willingness to contribute one quarter of the cost of constructing a Technical High School building in Moose Jaw, at a cost of about \$450,000. It is believed that there would be between 500 and 600 students ready to enroll at once.

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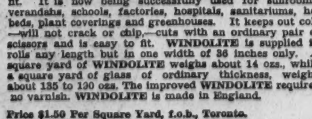
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BRITISH LABOR PARTY MEETS SERIOUS CRISIS

London, England.—Ramsay MacDonald's Labor Party cabinet was saved from possible resignation when the House of Commons defeated a Conservative amendment rejecting the coal mines bill, by the narrow margin of eight votes.

The vote was 281 against 273 in favor of giving the bill its second reading.

The division of the House climaxed the first serious crisis that has confronted the administration. Triumph of the Conservative amendment would have defeated the measure, which was one of the chief projects of the government. The bill was framed to meet campaign promises.

The narrow margin of victory was due to a lessening of government support which has hitherto come from the benches of the Liberals under the leadership of David Lloyd George. The Liberals themselves had prepared a dissenting amendment but it took exception to only a few of the principal features of the bill and the Conservatives maneuvered themselves into the front of the battle by offering their comprehensive rejection amendment.

In the debate that preceded the vote Mr. Lloyd George denounced the bill as "incredibly bad," and as likely to raise the price of coal to the consumers. But he indicated that his party would not oppose a second reading if Mr. MacDonald would ensure that that opportunity would be given to deal with unsatisfactory aspects of the measure while the bill was still in the committee stage.

In closing the debate the prime minister agreed to consider the several objections in committee. Despite this concession Mr. Lloyd George and a number of other Liberal leaders voted against the cabinet in the division.

Loud cheers came from the Labor benches when the result was certain, but these were drowned by cries, "resign" when the official figures disclosed the slim margin of government victory.

Examination of the ballot showed that there were sufficient abstainers among the Liberals to account for the Laborites winning. Only two of the 43 Liberals in the House and with the cabinet. The total Liberal membership is 58. The eight Independents split evenly, 4 to 4.

The cabinet vote was made up of 273 Laborites, four Independents, and two Liberals. The anti-government vote was made up of 228 Conservatives, 41 Liberals, and four Independents.

Prior to the session, the total membership figure was 58. The 289 Laborites, 260 Conservatives, 58 Liberals, and eight Independents. The absentees therefore, figured as 41 Laborites, 41 Conservatives, 41 Liberals, and eight Independents.

Famine In Irish Free State County

Destitution Of Farmers Is Revealed By Recent Investigation

Dublin, Ireland.—A remarkable statement of the destitution among the farming community of Leitrim County, Irish Free State, was made at a meeting of the county board of health.

The superintendent of home assistance, who distributes relief throughout the area, stated farmers who were in comfortable circumstances some time ago, were now living on potatoes and salt. They had neither bedclothes nor bedding and their children were scantily clad.

Where a religious examination was held recently in a north Leitrim school, out of 49 children for examination, 21 were without boots, despite the bitter weather. In the Drogheda district, he continued, there were 151 homes abandoned by farmers who had either emigrated or sold their holdings. Matters had reached a breaking point and he would not accept further responsibility for impoverished families of the county, he officer added.

The board decided to take immediate action to alleviate the distress, referring the report to the minister for local government with a view to obtaining a special grant. A member said the county was reduced to a state as bad as the black days of the great famine of 1846-47.

To Advocate Empire Trade

London, England.—New Zealand's high commissioner in London, Sir James Parr, is leaving his post to take up work on behalf of the movement for free trade within the Empire. He made this statement at a farewell luncheon tendered by the Empire League.

Supports Adequate Navy

Lord Beatty Believes Britain Should Not Reduce Cruiser Force To Danger Point

London, England.—Lord Beatty, who commanded the battle cruiser squadron at the battle of Jutland and later commander-in-chief of the Grand Fleet, told the House of Lords recently that Great Britain was approaching the coming naval conference with figures representing a dangerous minimum and an extremely low limit of cruiser tonnage.

No nation had naval commitments or obligations so great and complicated as those of the British Empire, he said, adding "God forbid that anybody should be opposed to arriving at an agreement with the United States or any other nation, but equally that anybody should lose sight of the fact that this empire was bound by the sea, and that by the protection of the sea they depended."

Lord Thomson replying for the government, said that if the conference succeeded the government was absolutely confident that the admiralty would be wise to continue the adequate discharge of the responsibilities of the government to the country for naval defence.

The Laborite spokesman said that the object of the approaching conference was reduction in armaments. The British delegates were not, as they sometimes had been, naval experts. They were to be accompanied, however, by naval advisers. This change in the character of the delegates was an admirable change and a change for the better. It had always seemed to him to put a technical expert in the position of a delegate at such a conference was to put him in a false position. This great question could be better approached from the angle of statesmanship.

Gift To British Nation

American Born Peers Presents Historic Site To Country Of Her Adoption

New York.—The New York Times published today a special cable from London, England, which reads:

An American-born peeress has recently bought for the British nation the historic meadow and the surrounding country at Runnymede, where King John signed the Magna Carta in 1215. The purchaser is Lady Fairhaven, widow of Urban H. Broughton, engineer and philanthropist, and a daughter of the late Henry Broughton Rogers of New York.

The steady encroachments of the London suburbs have come so close that the fate of Runnymede had caused a lot of anxious speculation. Lady Fairhaven intends to present it to the National Trust, which is the guardian of beautiful and historic sites of England.

British Airmen Killed

Fight From Britain To South Africa Ends In Disaster

Tunis.—Two crushed bodies and a broken aeroplane in the arid mountain region of Zagheuan, Tunisia, marked the end of one of the most ambitious long distance flights ever attempted.

The bodies were those of Squadron Flight-Lieut. N. H. Jenkins, of the British Royal Air Force, and the plane was one in which they hoped for from Cranwell airbase, near London, on a projected non-stop flight to Capetown, South Africa.

The plane crashed into a mountain during a storm. The bodies and the wrecked machine were found by native Arabs, who carried the word to French authorities. Investigation established the identities of the men and their plane.

Appointment Temporary

Secretary To Late Minister Of Finance Is Acting Assistant Deputy

Ottawa.—Watson Sellar, secretary to the late Hon. James A. Robb, minister of finance, has been appointed acting assistant deputy secretary of finance owing to the suspension of the occupant of that post, George W. Hyndman, who is awaiting trial on several charges of theft of bonds from the department. It is understood a permanent appointment will not be made until the former assistant deputy has been tried. Mr. Sellar is a native of Huntingdon, Que.

Airship Will Light City

Washington.—Secretary of the Navy Adams telegraphed the Mayor of Tacoma, Washington, that the navy department will loan the new aircraft carrier "Lexington" to the city of Tacoma for a 30-day period to supply electric power during the present emergency due to drought.

TWO AVIATORS ON LONELY TREK FROM THE NORTH

Winnipeg, Man.—Up at Churchill, on the shore of Hudson Bay, a score or so of residents are awaiting the arrival of two aviators, who by dog team are making a 500-mile journey down from Baker Lake.

The fliers are J. D. Vance and Brian Blaisdale, of the Northern Aerial Minerals Exploration Company, who were marooned at Baker Lake, an isolated mining post, when their plane was damaged.

Though Churchill folk realize that Vance and Blaisdale cannot reach the bay port until late December at the earliest, they are ready for them. Natives along the bay shore have been notified that the two men are "mushing" from Baker Lake and will be on the lookout. Officials at the Hudson's Bay Company trading post are informing itinerant trappers that the two men are on the trail.

By the time that the Vance-Blaisdale caravan ploughs over the inland snow drifts — or the ice hummocks, if they are travelling down along the shore ice — they will be exhausted. In view of this fact, the winter crew at Churchill are looking for the arrival of a relief plane, which the N.A.M.E. has suggested will pick up the fliers at the end of the trail.

If the machine does not arrive, it is not considered likely that the two men will be forced to journey overland the 200 miles to Gillam, farthest north all-weather station.

Twice a month mail is being "mushed" into Churchill by dog-team from Gillam, but Churchill's residents believe that the Hudson Bay Railway may order a rail-conveyance placed at the disposal of Vance and Blaisdale.

Meanwhile, Canon Bertal Henney, of St. Luke's Church, comments that "if the boys should be lost in the wilderness of the north, a crime will have been committed, not only by those standing nearest them but by the whole community, the province and the country at large."

He mentioned that Vance and Blaisdale, who were engaged in the northern search for the lost MacAlpine party, were as worthy of being brought back to civilization as those men they had sought to aid.

The two fliers are said to have left Baker Lake, at the western extremity of Chesterfield Inlet, on December 6. Presumably, they are accompanied by native guides. Vance and Blaisdale might be on the trail any time from 20 days to twice as long, depending on the weather, believe men acquainted with the situation in the sub-bay country.

Polnare Returns Home

Paris.—Former Premier Polnare, who underwent a second operation on October 27, for a difficulty which had bothered him some time, has returned to his home. The former premier hopes to spend some time in southern France recuperating.

The Christmas Mail!



The romance of the Christmas mail is one which never loses its allure or fails to bring a thrill of happiness through the greatest of all festivals. Governments, prophets, priests, and kings exchange greetings, but the Christmas letters longed for and eagerly awaited are those exchanged between families and friends separated by the seas.

In the task of making Christmas happier in this regard the Canadian Pacific Steamships play a leading role. The Company's huge fleets on the Atlantic and Pacific oceans carry millions on millions of Christmas letters each season, and with true Christmas spirit the mail is rushed with all possible speed.

WILL BE GUEST OF CANADA



General Jan Christian Smuts, world Liberal, statesman and true "Africaner Boer," largely responsible for the consolidation of South Africa for British, who is to be a guest of Canada the beginning of the year.

Liner Ready For Service

Latest C. F. R. Boat Has Been Launched At Glasgow

Glasgow, Scotland.—Slipping down the greased ways enshrouded by fog that lifted just as a mighty splash heralded the birth of a new sea giant, the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Japan" was launched, December 17, by Mrs. E. R. Peacock, wife of the Canadian financier. The launching was from the works of the Fairfield Shipbuilding Company. The ship is intended for the Pacific service of the C.P.R.

The new "Empress" will reach Quebec on her maiden voyage next June. She is 670 feet long, 83 feet wide, has a gross registered tonnage of 25,000 and will steam at 21 knots.

After the trip to Quebec and return it is intended to send the vessel direct from Southampton to Hong Kong, whence she will leave August 7, for British Columbia, inaugurating her Pacific ocean career.

French Conservative Paper

New Quebec Weekly, Printed In French Language, To Support Conservative Principles

Quebec, Que.—Le Journal, a new weekly newspaper printed in the French language, made its first appearance in an edition of 20 pages. In "Foreword" Le Journal says in part:

"This paper is the logical result of the Conservative conventions of Quebec and Winnipeg. If it has not the pretension of being the official organ of the party, it is none the less clearly devoted to the diffusion and triumph of Conservative principles in the double domain of federal and provincial affairs."

Men Stage Demonstration

Frankfort, Germany.—Thousands of unemployed made a demonstration in the vicinity of city hall while the city fathers were meeting to discuss granting Christmas relief to them. The entire police force was called out and formed a cordon around the hall to prevent disorders.

Sea Cables Buried

Damage Caused By Recent Earthquake Will Reach Enormous Sum

Halifax, N.S.—No repairs have been made to the extensive cable damage caused by the upheaval of the ocean bed in the earthquake of November 18, according to word brought back from the area of operations by the Commercial Cable Company's ship, the John W. MacKay.

The John W. MacKay had been grappling for cable for four weeks, and after re-stocking at Halifax will return to the scene of operations.

During the four weeks at sea, the John W. MacKay, grappled across five old cable lines without finding a trace of the cable in the "quake area. Deposits of hard clay on the grappling irons in place of the usual ooze of the ocean bottom led to the belief that a tremendous upheaval and cracking, similar to an earthquake on land, may have buried miles of cable where it cannot be reached.

Valued at \$1,600 a mile, the loss to the cable companies is expected to reach an enormous sum.

WANTS FEDERAL CONFERENCE ON UNEMPLOYMENT

Ottawa.—Urging that steps be taken to head off depression instead of waiting until conditions become desperate, A. R. Mosher, president of the All-Canadian Congress of Labor and the Brotherhood of Railway Employees, has issued a statement reiterating his recent plea for a federal conference on unemployment.

He takes issue with the statement issued by Hon. Peter H. Fisher, Minister of Labor, in respect to employment. Mr. Mosher refers to the claims coming from the west "that the unemployment situation in Western Canada is the worst in six or seven years."

"If such a situation," states Mr. Mosher, "is not sufficient reason for action by the Federal Government, I should like to know how serious conditions must become before something is done. It is of no use to point to employment figures of September or October of this year, or to show how much better the situation was in Canada compared with the United States for those months. In both countries, the situation has become worse during the past month."

"The stock market crash occurred only in the last week of October, and its effects are now becoming apparent. Canada unquestionably suffered proportionately to her population, and the actual losses as well as the additional amounts of margin put up by thousands of investors have seriously curtailed buying power. The prospects are that, unless the Federal Government makes a thorough study of the situation, and adopts a constructive policy with regard to it, there will be widespread misery and distress throughout the country."

"The Minister of Labor blames the present crisis on the crop conditions without reflecting that this cause of unemployment has not been a factor in bringing on the situation in the United States. Canada lags slightly behind the United States in the cycle of depression, but, in addition to more drastic seasonal fluctuations, the poor wheat crop, and the slow movement of wheat, every factor which is causing unemployment in the United States has its parallel in Canada."

"It is almost incredible that Mr. Heenan should state publicly that unemployment in Canada, apart from the normal seasonal slackening, is wholly traceable to one uncontrollable cause. He must be aware that, owing to the steady introduction of labor-saving machinery, many thousands of Canadian workers have been thrown out of work. Those over 45 are practically barred from getting new jobs, while the inadequacy of wages generally prevents the purchase of the commodities manufactured by the workers themselves, the surplus production piling up until a crisis ensues."

"These are some of the questions which the proposed conference should consider. It would mean that some effort was being made to head off depression instead of waiting until conditions became desperate. Even now, at the beginning of winter, almost every Canadian city is besieged by unemployed men and women."

"In thousands of homes starvation is being starved off by voluntary soles, while the unemployed are unable to get work. The demands made on them. The response received from all over Canada to the suggestion of an unemployment conference speaks far more eloquently of the actual facts than the graphic picture portrayed by Mr. Heenan."

NAVAL PARLEY WILL INTRODUCE MANY PROBLEMS

Washington.—With the departure of the Japanese delegation to the London disarmament conference, Washington set back to appraise the preliminary conversations between the representatives of Japan and the United States and to re-arrange the problems which will be confronted, in the new light thrown upon the Japanese position.

The double-barrelled phrase "optimistically hopeful" is used by Secretary of State Henry Lewis Stimson, head of the United States delegation and Reijiro Wakatsuki, chief of the Japanese, in describing their post-conference sensations. But there are two files in the ointment.

Japan feels the submarine essential to her security as a scattered island state, and accordingly she wants 70 per cent. of the British and United States strength in auxiliary craft and manifests a strong interest in the largest type of cruiser—10,000 tons. If Japan is to have many large cruisers, Australia and New Zealand might find it difficult to agree to Great Britain making up tonnage in smaller vessels of the same class.

It is not at all certain that Japan would not be willing to count 10,000 ton cruisers in with other auxiliary vessels and accept less than 70 per cent. tonnage of the big boats. Leaving the largest cruisers out of consideration, Japan at the moment appears to look with favor upon a global tonnage agreement. This attitude falls in with the French idea but does not seem to fit with the Anglo-U.S. agreement upon "parity category by category."

Pacific naval bases enter largely into the consideration of the Japanese. The delegates were asked whether Japan had received any intimation of the intention of Great Britain with respect to Singapore. The reply was, of course, in the negative, the spokesman adding with a smile that intimation that work was to cease would be received with great pleasure. Upon this the whole delegation and the Japanese newspapermen laughed heartily and vigorously nodded their heads.

Will Address Naval Conference

King George To Preside At Opening Of Conference In January

London, England.—King George, departing radically from royal precedent, will preside personally at the opening meeting of the five-power naval disarmament conference on January 21, and deliver the opening address to the assembled statesmen. Prime Minister MacDonald made this announcement in the House of Commons recently amid great enthusiasm.

Mr. MacDonald gave no hint as to why His Majesty had decided to open the conference in person, but observers at Westminster believe this is Great Britain's announcement to the world that she is taking the efforts of the conference to reduce armament with the utmost seriousness.

It is known that the King himself, is awaiting the conference with the greatest interest and optimism.

Although the King regularly addresses the opening of parliament, it is considered extraordinary that he should speak at the opening of an international conference. This will be his first speech in more than a year.

Commanded Princess Pats

Colonel Agar Adamson, Who Died In England, Was Buried In Ontario

Port Credit, Ont.—The funeral of Colonel Agar Adamson, former Commanding Officer of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, who died in London, England, was held at Port Credit recently. The funeral arrangements were in charge of the Officer Commanding Military District No. 2, and the deceased was accorded full military honors.

The body was brought to Port Credit by a special train and conveyed to Trinity Anglican Church, where the service was conducted by Rev. H. Earle. Interment was made in the Trinity Church Cemetery.

Gift From U.S. Minister

Ottawa.—Hon. William Phillips, retiring United States minister to Canada, has endowed a dormitory lodge to be erected by the Ottawa Ski Club on the Camp Fortune, in the Gatineau Hills. The club has received a cheque which will make possible the erection of the lodge. During his stay in Ottawa Mr. Phillips was an enthusiastic skier.

No Christmas In Russia

Soviets Determined To Eradicate All Symbols Of Christianity

Sovietized Russia is having as much trouble with Santa Claus as the United States has with bootleggers. Santa, you know, besides a number of other extraneous and disturbing elements, has become the bootlegger of Russia. That's the only way he can go down a chimney in Moscow—surprisingly.

The traditional Christmas celebration in the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics involved as much lubricating as the traditional way of lubricating the celebration in the United States.

The police promised to arrest anyone cutting fire trees or transporting or buying the same during the Christmas season—of which, legally, there is none in the Lenin utopia.

Both the state and co-operative stores of Moscow, pledged themselves not to sell Christmas toys, or arrange Christmas windows or other exhibits even faintly fragrant of Yule cheeriness during the holidays. Moreover, they promised to destroy all stocks of St. Nicholas or other surviving symbols of the holiday, which commemorates the birth of Christianity and that of Christ, and which the Soviet is determined to eradicate.

The workers, incident, were expected to contribute the salary they can on Christmas Day to the state fund for industrializing Russia, and any absentee on that day had to furnish an excuse.

Every cinema, every theatre gave an anti-religious play on Christmas Day. Children and adults were to be taken to anti-religious museums for lectures against the holiday—its tradition.

Although the Athletic campaign precedes at the year round, it comes to a climax at Christmas in order to eliminate all surviving religious customs in Russia.

The Artists' Union threatens to expel all members singing in churches.

Milk Cheaper In Canada

B.C. Government Finds That Milk Is Sold Here Cheaper Than In U.S. Cities

An investigation conducted by the British Columbia Government into the prices of milk in the United States and Canada indicates a considerable advantage to the Canadian buyer. Winter prices in Canadian cities range from 11 to 14 cents per quart of 40 ounces, in American cities the range is from 11 to 17 cents per quart of 32 ounces. Allowing for the difference in size of the Canadian and American quart Canadian retail prices of this most essential food are at least 25 per cent. lower than in the United States.

Notwithstanding the lower retail price for milk in Canada, it is contended that the Canadian farmer receives a better return than the price would indicate on account of reduced costs of handling and distribution. Cost of production is also held to be lower—particularly to the smaller investment in land.

Individual Daylight Saving

Workers in Berlin, Germany, have adopted their own daylight-saving plan. In order to enjoy outdoor life this summer, many clerks are starting to work not later than eight o'clock in the morning and leaving the office at four in the afternoon. So many are following the plan that the streets are filled with them between seven and eight o'clock every weekday morning.

Builds First Plane

As far back as 1842, W. S. Henson, of London, England, designed a heavier-than-air flying machine. It is claimed that Henson applied for a patent on his model, known as the "Aerial Steam Carriage," but that a working size was never completed. Springfield, who constructed the steam-driven model aeroplane now in the Science Museum, assisted Henson.



"But she is stupid—the other day she hadn't a key to open a tin of sardines."

"She sent for a locksmith."—Pages Gales, Yverdon.

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Important Findings In Bovine Scourge

Banting Research Committee Reports Progress In Dealing With Foot And Mouth Disease

The Toronto Mail and Empire says: "New and important findings in regard to the dreadful foot-and-mouth disease are reported by the Banting Research Committee following two years of exhaustive study. Results of the study are made public in a progress report just issued by the committee.

For years the foot-and-mouth disease has been a source of bewildering loss to cattlemen, not only on this continent but in Europe. Only a few years ago the British Government carried on an extensive inquiry to determine causes and find curative restrictive methods.

"While Dr. F. G. Banting was visiting England, two years ago, the facts disclosed by the British inquiry were brought to his attention. On his return to Canada he thought of an experimental method which resulted in some revelation on the peculiarities of the disease. He interested Miss M. Cowan, a thoroughly trained research worker in the field of bacteriology, in the problem.

"Miss Cowan found the original method suggested by Dr. Banting too difficult, but gradually evolved her own method which has proved highly successful. Incidentally while continuing her experiments she met Prof. H. B. Matfield, of Liverpool, and, following her marriage to him and the successful results of her experiments, left Canada for Liverpool, England, where she now resides.

"Mrs. Matfield found that when the hairy skin of guinea pigs was transformed to their feet, lesions occurred in the hairy part of the skin. By arranging the foot of the animal case so that the guinea pigs frequently rubbed the upper surface of the foot, she showed that lesions might occur in the hairy part of the skin, if they were subjected to pressure. She was able to show further that if a guinea pig's foot was protected from pressure by wrapping it in cotton, lesions did not develop on the protected skin. It was proved that there was no special immunity of the hairy skin but that the lesions developed on the foot owing to its use.

Prof. V. E. Henderson, of the Banting Research Committee, is of the opinion that the findings of Mrs. Matfield are of much value."

The Coppermine River

Overs Its Name To Dispel Of Copper Found In Its Vicinity

Coppermine River, which flows into the Arctic Ocean, owes its name to Samuel Hearne, the first white man to reach it. For many years prior to Hearne's visit to the river in 1771, the Indians who frequented the trading posts at York and Churchill on Hudson Bay had excited the curiosity of the fur-traders by their tales of wonderful copper mines near the river and by the samples of the metal which they displayed. Hearne describes the "mines" as an entire jungle of rocks and gravel and about 30 miles S.E. of the mouth of the river.

The first reference to the river by any name, known to the Geographic Board of Canada, is in the diary which Captain James Knight kept at York Factory in 1774, in which he refers to the "Copper River."

The first published reference to the mines occurs in a book written by a Canadian, Nicolas Jeremie, who published an account of twenty years' residence on Hudson Bay, in 1770. He states he had seen the copper very often as the natives always brought some back to York Factory, when they went to war in the north.

Made Of Matches

Built entirely of matches, Herr W. Lemperly, of Coesfeld, Westphalia, has made an exact model of New York Cathedral. The building has a length of 17 feet, and a breadth of 6½ feet, while the tower which contains a clock, also made of matches, is 19½ feet high. During the seven years he had worked at his hobby Herr Lemperly has separately glued and laid 6,000,000 matches. If he has purchased the cheapest type of matches at retail price they have cost him \$880.

Voices (on telephone): Oh, please tell the doctor to hurry round at once—my little girl has swallowed a needle.

Maid: Well, the doctor is very busy just now. Did you want the needle at once?

After being champion pugilist of England, one, John Gully, entered politics and became speaker of the House of Commons, holding this position 30 years.

Hailstones three inches in diameter often fall during storms in India.

Popularity Of Radio

Increase In Radio Licenses Testify To Widespread Use Of This Modern Innovation

Evidence of the growing popularity in Canada of the radio is given in a recent official statement to the effect that in the first seven months of the Canadian Government's current fiscal year, that is from April 1 to October 31, 1929, licenses had been issued to 260,488 persons, an increase of 60,000 compared with the number issued in the corresponding period last year. Though radio broadcasting was introduced to the world only nine years ago, it is now regarded as practically a necessity by many people. No modern invention has proved a more beneficial factor in helping to solve the problem of colonization. Radios in the rural districts of Canada, especially in the more sparsely settled areas, are the mediums of providing the latest market reports, up to the minute news, and programs of music and entertainment. The settler on a home-based or isolated farm may, if he has a radio, tune in on whatever program he fancies from the wide variety offered daily and nightly. The pleasure provided by a symphony orchestra in Ottawa or Toronto or by the Broadway star in New York is no more remote from him than from the residents of these cities.

The radio is proving a very practical auxiliary in helping to settle the 240,000 acres of arable land in Canada that still await the plough.

Poultry Flock Improvement

Careful Breeding and Selection To Build Up High Production Flock

The poultry flock at the Cap Rouge, Quebec, experimental station, has, by careful breeding and selection, been built up to a high state of production. The superintendent of the station in his report for 1928, published by the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa, states that trap-nesting was commenced about thirteen years ago when only four hens were found which had laid as many as one hundred and fifty eggs in a year. While not more than one dozen birds have been brought into the flock since that time, the flock last year contained more than one hundred hens with yearly records of more than one hundred and seventy-five eggs each.

Only eggs from the high layers and mated with males of high producing ancestry have been used for breeding each year. Breeding, however, Mr. Langelier, the superintendent of the station states, is not everything in effecting flock improvement. A careful breeder will find it necessary to give attention also to such matters as early maturity, non-broodiness and high persistency in laying.

While trap-nesting alone may single out a good producer, the superintendent has found by experience that a careful analysis of records is necessary to find out the good producers that may be depended upon with some degree of certainty.

A Northern Reward

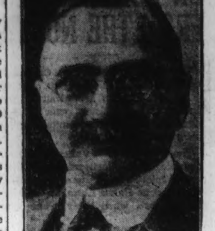
Vance Free, of North Manchester, Indiana, is an honest man, but he didn't pay so well recently when he found a money bag among some mail sacks here. He learned that the money belonged to a clerk in a mail car and turned the money over to him. In loud words of praise the clerk thanked Free and insisted he accept a reward. The reward turned out to be a nickel.

Manitoba Livestock Associations

Manitoba livestock associations will hold their annual conventions in Brandon on January 6th, 7th, and 8th. The meetings will precede the convention of the United Farmers of Manitoba, thus assuring a large attendance.

IS PLANT EXPERT

Professor Robert Boyd Thompson, professor of plant morphology at the University of Toronto, who is now a member of the International Scientific Council of Agriculture, scientific advisory board of the International Agricultural Institute. The institute has founded the I.S.C.A. to give a permanent organization to the gathering of two years ago, when, with other scientists of note, Professor Thompson journeyed to Rome at the invitation of the Italian Government.



Long ago holly was thought to be an antidote for poison and a protection against lightning, and it was believed that the flowers of holly would freeze water.

In Persia and India the bark is often soaked in water and the faces of newly born children are washed with the liquid as a kind of charm.

In some parts of Ireland the holly is regarded as the special tree of the fairies.

Immigration To Canada

Over 55,000 British People Came To Canada During First Seven Months Of 1929

In the first seven months of the current fiscal year, April 1 to October 31, 1929, British immigration to Canada totalled 55,017, an increase of 7,777 over the total for the corresponding period last year; immigration from the United States was 23,038, an increase of 1,994; immigration from Northwestern Europe was 23,219, an increase of 975 and immigration of all other races was 27,730, a decrease of 13,016. Total immigration in the seven months under review was 129,154 compared with 121,754 for the similar period last year, a decrease of 2,600 or 2 per cent.

Immigration in October of this year was 8,517, an increase of 776 over October, 1928, or 10 per cent. Of the total, 3,386 were British; 2,329 from the United States; 1,328 Northwestern European races and 1,774 of other races.

Since April 1st till October 31st, of this year, 20,083 Canadians who went to the United States intending to reside there permanently, have returned to the Dominion to remain. These are not included in the immigration returns.

Utilizing the Wind

When Supplemented By Motor Economical Power Is Obtained

How much work can a lively breeze do? Although for any purpose requiring a more or less continuous supply of power the wind is wholly unsuitable energy, there nevertheless are many cases in which it may be used to good advantage. Even if it has to be supplemented by such a standby as an oil engine and worked in conjunction with a storage battery, which generally is an indispensable adjunct, wind power may prove a source of economy. The Danish Government reports that the velocities of the wind which are practicable lie between 10 to 50 feet a second, and the motor must be so constructed as to adapt itself automatically to all conditions, including storms. It has been found that a motor with only four wings is the best. At one experimental station, with a patrol motor as standby, and a storage battery, an installation of 450 incandescent lamps has been successfully run for two years at a fair profit.

Holly Used As Medicine

Berries Once Thought To Be Antidote For Poison

The holly bush with which we decorate our homes at Christmas time prefers a northern climate to a southern one. In the former climate the bush has been known to attain a height of from twenty to fifty feet, whilst in the latter it is generally only a small bush.

In some places holly is used as a medicine for cases of gout and rheumatism, while the leaves and small branches, chopped in small pieces, are sometimes given to sheep in severe winter weather.

The wood is greatly in demand for making musical instruments and handles of tools.

The word "holly" is derived from the very ancient custom of using sprigs of this tree to decorate the churches at Christmas time. This gave it the name "Holly Tree," which in due course became known as "Holly Tree."

Long ago holly was thought to be an antidote for poison and a protection against lightning, and it was believed that the flowers of holly would freeze water.

In Persia and India the bark is often soaked in water and the faces of newly born children are washed with the liquid as a kind of charm.

In some parts of Ireland the holly is regarded as the special tree of the fairies.

Used Nearly Half Century

Umbrella Owned By Plainfield N.J. Man, Has Had Remarkable Career

How old is your umbrella? Fred S. Goodwin, of New York, has had his umbrella for 53 years. Ernest R. Ackerman, of Plainfield, N.J., has had his for 49 years. It is suggested that Mr. Goodwin's umbrella constitutes a record for faithful service, and if not for that, for the homing instinct, for it has been lost and returned four times. This elderly pigeon of an umbrella, then, awaits challenges.

Apart from its having been round the world with Mr. Goodwin, and its American origin, this umbrella's history is obscure. Mr. Ackerman's, however, has a career which, apart from its age, is as open (and shut) as any film star's.

It always accompanies its master in sunshine or rain. It has survived 720,000 miles of globe trotting, has crossed the Atlantic 100 times, was in a blizzard and a Japanese earthquake, and evaded the clutches of train robbers in Arizona in 1885.

Next year, when it will have done half a century's good work, Mr. Ackerman is going to present it to the Plainfield public library, where a brass plate, suitably inscribed, will record for all time its devotion to its owner and the owner's special loyalty to it—for it has been recovered only thrice.—London Express.

The Lowest Rang

"Young Jim Peterson asked old man Peterson for the lowest rang of the old man said rather anxiously:

"I understand you're working at the First National Bank. Have you any chances of promotion?"

"Have I?" said Jim Peterson, and he laughed confidently. "You bet I have! Why, except for the office boy I hold the lowest position in the firm."

Our Versatile Prince

While knitting as pastime for men has gained popularity in England lately, it was learned with surprise that the Prince of Wales had taken it up. Three scarves knitted by the Prince are exhibited at the display of Queen Mary's London Needlework Guild, with three others done by Prince George.

A Tale Of Courage

Experiences Of Group Of Immigrants In Early Days Of Alberta

In 1887 there arrived at Edmonton a group of immigrants from Bolan, which is somewhere in Bukowina, which is in Europe. They were told to go 85 miles north-east of Edmonton. There was no railroad. So they spanned in the ocean to the lumber wagons and the trek began.

The denouement to that story is told in the current Canadian Red Cross Junior, and it is told by the children of the children in those wagons, told by the Red Cross organization of the school, and only as a vague folk tale. They are sending it back from the Canadian village of Bolan, Alberta, to the namesake village in Bukowina.

"Having got their land," relates the story, "their next task was to build a shelter. They had neither money nor all the required tools, but they made the best of what they had. They homes at first were roughly constructed and covered with straw. They had few windows and only one small door."

The men went to work in the mines and on railways where they were employed for ten cents a day. The women stayed at home and planted their gardens.

"In the winter time when employment was scarce the men returned to their homes. They bought implements and horses and some bought a cow. In the spring they cut down the bushes, cultivated the land, and sowed wheat. To grind the corn or what into flour they made stone grinders. Otherwise they would have to take the long trip of 85 miles into Edmonton.

The school came in 1908, and it is from this school that through the Red Cross the names of these brave hands with children all over the globe. "Our homes are comfortable now, well furnished and clean. Instead of travelling on foot or on wagons, we use automobiles. Many people have a radio in their homes. In the early days only rich people could have books, but now we can all have books in our homes."

A story of interest to the children back in the European fatherland, no doubt, but a tale of courage and achievement worth preserving as a heritage for the Canadian children of this settlement, and one worthy of weaving alongside other tales of Canadian nation-building into the garment of history which Canada shall wear.—Manitoba Free Press.

Could Supply World With Oil

Alberta Has Sands Potentially Source Of Wealth To The Dominion

Following the discovery of a source for extracting oil from the McMurray sands at Alberta, the Medicine Hat Chamber of Commerce has prepared a resolution calling for the release of these lands for a non-political administration of them by a judicial commission.

In a copy of the resolution forwarded to the Saskatchewan Board of Trade, it was stated that leading authorities have estimated that the 1,000 square miles of sands contain 600 times as much oil as the present annual production of the world, and that it is believed that these sands represent the controlling factor in the world's known petroleum resources.

Might Be Good Idea

A system of fines for people who cough in church is advocated by Rev. Basil Bourchier, rector of St. Anne's in Soho, the district in London famous for music services. "The guilty case should be compelled to pay the doctor's bills of all the innocent people who can prove they became germinally infected through sitting in the same atmosphere with them," the rector declared.

Remarkable Achievement

Man's success at the Royal Winter Fair is described by Premier Bracken as "the most remarkable ever achieved by the province." Both in the number and variety of championships and other winnings, the records of the past years have been far eclipsed.

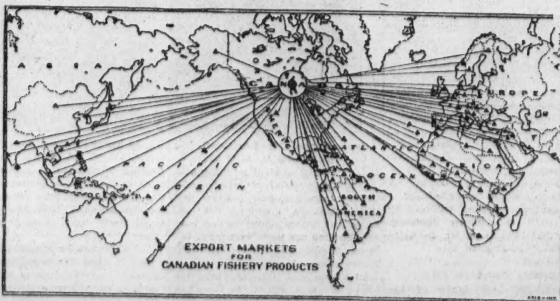


TWO SOULS—TWO THOUGHTS.

"Heaven! What is that?"

"Just what was wondering"—Hummel, Hamburg.

CANADIAN FISH EXPORTED TO EVERY CLIME



In no form of natural wealth is Canada more richly endowed than in respect of fisheries resources. The fisheries of the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, and of innumerable inland waters, form the foundation of a great and dominant industry—an industry which, in turn, forms one of the prominent and important pillars of the Dominion's export trade. In the last few years Canada's exports of fishery products have averaged rather more than \$35,000,000 a year, and this trade penetrates every quarter of the globe. Canada's customers for fishery products of one kind or another include nearly a hundred countries, and the above map gives some idea of how far-flung are these markets.

When your child has Croup

RUBBED ON throat and chest, the effect of Vicks in relieving spasmodic croup is two fold:

- (1) Its medicated vapors, released by body heat, reach air passages direct;
- (2) At the same time it stimulates the skin, thus helping the inhaled vapors ease the difficult breathing.

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OVER 12 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

The Singing Fool

By HUBERT DALE

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SYNOPSIS

Al Stone, singing waiter at Blackie Joe's New York night club, is loved by Grace Farrell, but he doesn't know it. He married Molly Winton, a ballad singer, and wins fame as a composer of popular songs. When their baby, Junior, is about two years old, Molly elopes with John Perry, Al's best friend. She and Perry take the child Al and return to France. Al, broken by the loss, becomes a delirious, but one night when he revisits Blackie's place, Grace, now assistant manager, makes him promise that he will stage a comeback. After they plan Al's future, he leaves Grace, promising to return that evening. But as midnight approaches, he has not appeared. Grace is worried.

CHAPTER XXVII

A few moments later a figure came rapidly around Grace's desk and stood by her side, where she was shielded by the screen from the view of the crowd. It was Al—in new clothes, but with the old smile. As she rose his arms went round her neck and his mouth pressed against her own. It was the first real kiss he had ever given her!

With Al's arms still holding her close, Grace looked up into his face with an expression of mingled joy and wonder were mingled. She had dreamed of this hundreds of times, but always believed it could not possibly come true. Now that it had come true it seemed almost unreal. Because it was so closely associated with those long-ago dreams. Yet the arms about her were certainly real and Al's kiss had the thrilling reality that never comes in a dream.

"Dear little Grace," Al whispered. "I've been thinking of you all day—seeing you as I left you, standing in the Square, waving to me. I'm late—did you think I wasn't going to show up?"

"I knew you would come," answered Grace softly. "I've always believed in you and I believe in you now more than ever before."

There was a sound on the other side of the nearby door and a waiter entered, on his way to the dining room from the kitchen, just as Al released Grace. But the waiter saw the tell-tale movement and could not hide his astonishment. This little female assistant manager had a reputation around Blackie's place for coldness and aloofness.

"Well," said Al, when the waiter had passed on, "I must find Blackie and tell him what you're doing for me. I think he'll be astonished at this quick change."

Al glanced down at his new blue serge, double-breasted suit with a paragon's pride. Then he struck an attitude, holding his brown fedora in front of him in a burlesque pose, as if he were ready to be photographed. "Look me over, Gracie! How am I?"

"Splendid!"

"Well, if you say so I must be good. I have some new evening clothes, too, but I'm holding them for another night. No use dazzling you too much at first."

Grace laughed easily at his bantering manner, but behind her smile she was studying him closely. He was a

little too gay and over-excited, his voice and hand trembled every moment or so.

"The next thing to do is to ask Blackie for a job," he said quickly. "But have something to do, must get to work soon."

But Grace reached out quickly, took his hand and pulled him closer. "I can see you're a little nervous and excited. You've had a nerve-racking day. Don't you think it would be better if you didn't start to work right away? I do. If you'll just relax and rest for a few days you'll get your bearings better. You and I will go for walks and talk things over. And on Sunday we might go out in the country."

It was astonishing how quickly Al reacted to Grace's soothing tones and suggestions. He nodded slowly as she talked and the gleam in his eyes from over-excitement faded.

"You're right, Gracie," he agreed. "I can't let myself go as I've done during all these months and then come back in a few hours just by buying a few clothes. I see what you mean—take the whole thing more slowly."

"Yes, that's right. Did you go to that hotel you pointed out to me from the Square?"

"Yes, I've got a nice room overlooking the Avenue. But if I'm not talking with you, what do you want me to do now?"

Grace smiled; again he was the obedient child. "I want you to go home and sleep all night long."

"Now?"

"Yes, now. And I want you to call me at home tomorrow at noon. I'll just be getting up then—and take me to breakfast at the Brevoort."

"But who's going to take you home tonight—I counted on doing that."

Once more the tolerant smile came to Grace's face. "I'll take myself home alone, Al. I've done it a thousand times during these past three years."

"K. O. if you say so," answered Al, "but you know I don't quite like it. I'm afraid something will happen to you. I feel that I should be protecting you—now."

Grace liked that speech. Self-sufficient though she seemed in contrast to Al, the chief longing of her life was for someone to love and protect her, someone to care where she went and why.

"Well, orders are orders," said Al briskly. "Just a word of greeting to Blackie and then I'm off. I see him across the room now. But I'll be back here, waiting for you."

Al paused. "And—if I do as you say may I have another kiss before I go?"

"I think so. In fact, I'm sure of it."

Grace stole a look round her concealing screen to watch him approaching Blackie. Then she retreated, for her cheeks were crimson from the thrilling sense of his presence. Al had no idea what it cost her to send him home in that business-like fashion. She longed to have him with her every day, every hour, as long as she lived!

The days passed easily, gratefully, happily, and Al recovered rapidly. There were Sundays when they went to the country to wander across fields and sit side by side on low hills—tops grassed with a soft blue autumnal distance. There were nights when they sat hand-clasped on a green bench in Washington Square, planning the future.

Then the time came when Al's nerves were strong enough to permit him to join Blackie's floor show. He decided to do a few songs every evening in blackface, so no one would recognize him. He didn't want Broadway to know he was staging a comeback—he wasn't ready for the hectic life and razzle-dazzle glitter of the Street of Lights.

But his style of singing was so individual that he was recognized behind his make-up. Then the news penetrated the up-town section—Al Stone was found!—and his old cronies began to drift down to Blackie's. Marcus came to see him, song publishers made him offers. Again Grace saw the look of intense strain in his eyes; again plans for protection were made. Al made no objection, but refused to see anyone on business.

So the days drew on into winter, with Al close to complete recovery and almost ready for Broadway. Marcus wanted him to write some songs and sing in a revue and he had promised to do it.

During this period Grace was conscious of a sense of strain in herself. At first she wondered what caused it, then she decided it was the memory of Molly. Whenever Al mentioned Molly it was in a disinterested tone, but he always spoke of Junior with tender devotion. Grace asked herself these questions over and over again: Where was Molly? Had she obtained her divorce? Wasn't there a chance

that she might return and try to win Al back again?

(To Be Continued).

Filming Indian Life

Motion Pictures Will Preserve Usages and Customs Of Aborigines Of the West

The chiefs of the Blackfoot Indians near Glacier, Alberta, approve of the motion pictures which are being taken of their tribe for the National Museum of Canada, according to Mr. J. H. Gooderham, Indian Agent to these Indians, who has written to this effect in a letter just received at the Museum.

The Museum archaeologist visited these Indians for nearly a week in October, 1928, and took some 800 feet of motion picture film but, as the Sun Dance is given only in summer, he could not take that, the most interesting ceremony of any plains Indian tribe. He again visited them for six days in October last, securing many specimens, but no motion picture film, as his allowance of film for the season had long been exhausted.

The chiefs invited him to attend a pipe ceremonial but, having no film for the purpose, he went elsewhere to buy specimens for the Museum. The chiefs, according to Mr. Gooderham's letter (dated December 3, 1928), approve of the National Museum taking motion pictures even of the Sun Dance. "Seeing is believing" with the old Indians states Mr. Gooderham, who goes on to state that the Museum postcard showing exhibits in place, which was sent to him to show to the Indians, "will do much to make clear" the Museum work "and the object of the archaeological visits." In a few years the old Indians will be dead, and as the young are more interested in wheat crops, threshing, elevators, auto trucks and hall furnishings, than in the old dances and rituals, consequently if motion pictures of these are not soon taken the chance will be gone forever.

Visits Interesting Places

Mr. Jenness, Of the Department Of Anthropology, Ottawa, Returns

Diamond Jenness, Chief of the Department of Anthropology, of the National Museum of Canada, who recently returned from the Fourth Pacific Scientific Congress, held in Batavia, Java, where he represented the Canadian Government, gave an announcement of his impressions of that interesting country at the weekly meeting of the Gyo Club, held at the Duffell Hotel, Ottawa.

Mr. Jenness is perhaps best known for his studies of the Eskimo, commenced when he was ethnologist of the Canadian Arctic Expedition from 1913 to 1916. Several reports by him on this subject have been issued by the Canadian Government; and the MacMillan Company has recently brought out his popular book "The People of the Twilight." Before his Arctic expeditions, however, Mr. Jenness spent a year among the natives of New Guinea, and published the results of his investigations there through the Oxford University, and the Polytechnic Society of New Zealand.

Mr. Jenness has charge of the totem poles at the National Museum, and in 1926 and 1927, it was he who loaned his archaeological to take charge of the Dominion Government totem pole preservation along the C.N.R. in Skeena Valley, British Columbia.

Ireland Claims Briand

Prime Minister Of France Is Of Irish Descent

Ireland claims a special interest in M. Aristide Briand, now for the tenth time Prime Minister of France, for, though a Breton, born at Nantes, the great statesman is of Irish descent. His great grandfather, Connell Briand, was an Irishman, who settled at Blandford, an overseer of a finishing factory, and thence his family migrated to Nantes. Connell is said to have claimed descent from the great King Brian Boru.

Saskatoon's Power House Revenue

Power house revenue at Saskatoon for October was \$79,990.15, as against \$70,029.16 for October of last year.

Operating costs and fixed charges were respectively \$66,068.76 and \$57,010.50. Had the same rates been in effect this year as last, the revenue would have been much higher.

A minister in a country church in Scotland stopped his sermon to ask a listener who was somewhat deaf: "Are you hearing, John?" "Oh! yes," was the answer, "I am hearing, but to verba littera purpose!"

Benjamin Franklin was the first Postmaster-General in the United States. He was appointed for the Colonies in 1775. He received \$1,000 a year in this capacity.

Eat For Health and Enjoyment On Christmas

Appetite, Digestion and Good Health Wait On Following Menu

While Christmas is recognized as a day of feasting and its celebration would not be considered complete without a bountiful repast, the choice of the viands that compose the holiday menu has not always been wise. To eat well on December 25th, is excellent, but to suffer from a bilious attack on December 26, is not.

Thorough knowledge of food and combinations we now have a meal which is perfect in its content and amount, and satisfying to the most fastidious. Here, compiled by Mary A. Buethner, well known American dietitian, are two menus that will serve alike health and appetite.

LIBERAL COST MENU

Tomato Bouillon
Olives, Celery, Toast Sticks
Roast Turkey, Chicken or Duck
Sweet Potatoes, Dressing
Buttered Cauliflower

Gravy
Whole Wheat Rolls, Butter
White Salad, Crackers
Tangerine Ice, Small Cakes
Coffee, Cream, Sugar
(Milk for Children)

LOW COST MENU

Cream of Celery Soup
Crackers
Mock Duck
Mashed Potato, Gravy
Chopped Cabbage

Whole Wheat Bread, Butter
Carrot and Celery Salad
Tapcio Cream with Apples
Sugar, Coffee, Milk
(Milk for Children)

Lightest Metal In World

Lithium, Formerly Rare, Is Now Produced In Ton Lots

Production by the ton of a metal that floats like corn on water, the latest achievement of U.S. metal manufacturing, was revealed at the New York Electrical Society meeting by Dr. W. C. MacTavish, professor of chemistry at New York University.

The substance is lithium, the lightest of all metals, silvery in color, softer than lead, one half the weight of water, and such a ready mixer with other metals that its uses range from aviation to sweetener-tins.

Although recently produced commercially in Europe, lithium still is so rare that chemical catalogues at New York University quote it at \$240 pound.

The achievement is a quantity of production method, completed barely a month ago, making it for about \$15 a pound whole and in ton lots.

The big field of lithium is in alloys, the future of steel-making. It softens when increased with lifting power of helium gas by about 15 per cent. by one of its peculiarities, which is sponge-like absorption of gaseous impurities.

Mr. Pester: Yes, it was a good idea to get a cat to clean out the mice. But why did you pick out a tomatcat? His Wife: Why, I thought a female cat would be afraid of mice.

The state department has been instructed by President Hoover to invite all foreign governments to participate in the world's fair, to be held in Chicago in 1933.

Soft corners are difficult to eradicate, but Holloway's Corn Remover will draw them out painlessly.

Madras, in India, is one of the world's flattest cities, its highest point being only 22 feet above sea level.

The sea gets much salt from volcanoes, which discharge hydrochloric acid, one scientist concludes.

FAINT, DIZZY SPELLS

Had To Sleep Propped Up In Bed

Mrs. Norman Bishop, Salisbury, Wiltshire, England, had to lie down and sleep like a child. Faint and dizzy spells and when I would lie down I would suffer terribly with another spell. I got so bad I had to sleep propped up in bed.

"My doctor said it was my heart and nerves, and that I needed a good heart tonic."

"I was advised to take

MILBURN'S HEART NERVE TONIC

and I had not taken one box when I could lie down and sleep like a child. Price, 50c. a box at all druggists and dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of 50c. by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Facing Many Dangers

Toronto Professor Going To Abyssinia To Photograph Script Of Old Testament

Jealously guarded by monks for more than 2,000 years, Ethiopic translations of the Old Testament are calling Rev. S. A. B. Mercer from his chair in Oriental Languages and Egyptology at Trinity College, University of Toronto, to brave the dangers of Abyssinia. He will photograph the manuscript and return to the calm of varsity cloisters to use his prints of the ancient writing to enhance the world's knowledge of holy writ.

It was in the fourth century B.C. that the Old Testament was translated into Ethiopic, the ancient language of Abyssinia, and no European has ever glimpsed the manuscript, hidden in Coptic monasteries as the monks' most valuable possession.

"I have conceived the notion of preparing a copy of the Coptic script from rolographs of the oldest manuscript I can find," said Professor Mercer today. "While manuscripts of the Old Testament exist in Europe, they are comparatively recent date, and many errors have crept into them. The study of the Old Testament use is now made of practically every language into which it has been translated except Ethiopic."

It is to supply this last link in the scholarship of Biblical history that Professor Mercer will travel without white companions through hundreds of miles of untracked African bush. "It will be terribly hard, of course," he admitted, "but I think it is a work that should be done."

In 1916 the savant was responsible for certain Abyssinian translations which brought him into touch with the Abuna, patriarch of the Abyssinian church. Upon the goodwill thus built the adventures states his bid for success in entering the monasteries and on his journey he will be guarded by native soldiery from attacks of hostile savages.

Professor Mercer sailed from New York on December 17, and will enter the second stage of his journey from Marseilles to North Africa on January 24. He carries a specially designed camera.

Simple and Sure. — Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is so simple in application that a child can understand the instructions. Used as a liniment the only direction is to rub, and when used as a dressing to apply. The directions are so plain and unmistakable that they are readily understood by young or old.

Filming Wild Life

Alberta Government Taking Pictures For Educational Purposes

Wild life in the province of Alberta is being illustrated by the Alberta government in about 30,000 feet of film, and the work is not yet complete. Probably the chief interest in the film so far produced in the work, which is for exhibition and educational purposes, are pictures of a nest and eggs of a blue goose.

The pictures are of native birds chiefly, and bird nests, eggs, etc., but there are also illustrating fur farming in Alberta. The work of photographing wild life in the province will be continued next summer, it is understood, the idea being to secure films showing every phase of wild life, birds and animals. The pictures of the blue goose nest and eggs were obtained at Benedict's sanctuary, east of Leduc. The first showing of the film took place recently at the Spruce-dale school, Leduc district.

For Benefit Of Pedestrians

England Has Novel Scheme Whereby Pedestrians May Control Traffic At Crossings

From England comes the announcement of a novel scheme to protect the rights of pedestrians in this age of ever-increasing automobile traffic. Electric buttons would be installed on street crossings whereby the lowly man on foot would himself be able to operate the "Stop" and "Go" signals.

But not without certain restrictions. When he had halted traffic it would be but one-quarter of a minute before the signal automatically returned to "Go," and it would then be three-quarters of a minute before anyone else could again halt traffic. Thus the pedestrian would be given power to control the road one-quarter of the time.—New York Evening Post.

Was In Bed All Summer

"I have to take in the store and do my own housework, too, and I got nervous and run-down and was fed nearly all summer. The leaves would make me nervous. I was told to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I have taken seven bottles. It has made me stronger and put more color into my face. I am looking after my store and housework and my four children and I am getting along nicely now."

—Mrs. J. Malin, R. No. 5, Barren St. East, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.

Alumina remained a curiosity of no particular usefulness for almost 50 years after it was first produced.

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Little Helps For This Week

"For all that is in the heaven and the earth is Thine."—1 Chronicles xix. 11.

There shall never be one lost good! What was shall live as before. The evil is null, is naught, is silence implying sound.

What could be all but good, with, for evil, so much good more.

On the earth the broken are; in heaven the perfect.

—Robert Browning.

No good that has been truly meant, though in the midst of mistakes, shall, in any upshot of life, be utterly lost. In the end of things the angels shall always come and gather the wheat from among the tares.

—Adeline D. T. Whitney.

No good deed, no genuine sacrifice, is ever wasted. If there be good in it, God will use it for His own holy purposes; and whatever of ignorance, or weakness, or mistake was mingled with it will drop away, and the withered sepals drop away when the full flower has bloomed.

—Frederic W. Farrar.

Worms, however generated, are found in the digestive tracts, where they set up disturbances detrimental to the health of the child. There can be no comfort for the little ones unless the burrowing creatures are expelled. An excellent preparation for this purpose can be had in Miller's Worm Powders. They will immediately destroy the worms and correct the conditions that were favorable to their existence.

Minard's Liniment for Chapped hands.

Will Aid Fire Fighters

Carrier Pigeons To Be Used In Northern Manitoba

Carrier pigeons will aid next year in the battle against the forest fires in northern Manitoba. Rangers of the Forestry Department of the Pas district will take the birds to their territory and use them for speedy transmission of reports to the home base. Robert Harvey, in charge of the Cornermont Lake base, declares that the plan is not part of a government fire fighting program. It is, rather, his own way of putting into play a pet hobby.

If the population of South Africa goes on increasing within the next fifty years at the present rate, the white population will increase to 4,000,000 and the blacks to 27,000,000.

Senator Cesar Zuneta, Venezuelan representative on the council of the League of Nations, was elected vice-president of the International Conference on the treatment of foreigners.

A large number of the new aeroplane engines are of the fixed radial, air-cooled type.

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Minard's will bring back circulation, and ease burning pain.

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218a, 8th Ave. W., opposite Palace Theatre, Calgary.

Mr. J. A. HARRY MILLICAN

of the firm of Milligan & Milligan, Barristers, Solicitors and Notaries, 300 Lancaster Building, Calgary, will be at Treadway & Springsteins' office, Crossfield on Saturday of each week for the general practice of the law.

MONEY TO LOAN PHONE 3

Come and Get Your**MARCEL**From an Experienced Worker
Better than two years experience which
Guarantees Satisfaction
At the GAZELEY HOME**Council Meetings**

The council of the village of Crossfield will meet in the Office of the Secretary Treasurer on the first Monday of each month commencing with February at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m.

By Order of the Village Council.

A2- W. McRory, Sec.-Treas.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION.

10:30 and 8th, Sundays. Evenings at 7:30.

10:30 and 4th, Sundays. Mattins and Daily Communion at 11:30 a.m.

Sunday School every Sunday at 10:30 a.m.

Rev. J. Adams Cooper, Curate in charge.

A cordial invitation is given to all.

Now is the time to get
this new furnace in-
stalled or the old
one put in first
class shape**J. L. McRory.**

Plumbing and Tinsmithing

CROSSFIELD, Alberta.

Local and General.

Miss Kathleen Mair was a city visitor on Saturday.

Pete Stubbs spent the week-end at his home at Beaver Dam.

Glen Williams visited Calgary on Wednesday.

Miss Helen Willis spent Friday in Calgary.

Miss Melba English celebrated her tenth birthday on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McCrimmon visited Calgary on Tuesday.

Mrs. F. Pullan of Calgary is visiting with her daughter Mrs. H. Baltham.

Send any local news which you may have. We will appreciate it.

Miss M. Cathoon had as her guest on Tuesday, Miss Vivian Murdoch of Olive.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon have moved into the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. G. Sefton.

Miss Alice Ryan of Carstairs spent Thursday and Friday in Crossfield, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Fike.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Jones of Calgary spent Christmas at the home of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Crocker.

George Lim left on Thursday morning for Victoria, B.C. We are informed that George will not return alone.

Misses Marie Rock, Frances Rock and Mrs. Jarvis, of Calgary, spent Christmas with friends and relatives in the Crossfield district.

Miss Christie Robertson, of the public school staff, Crossfield, plays the role of "Marjorie" in "A Country Girl" at the Grand Theatre, Calgary, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Young of Saskatoon are guests in Crossfield at the home of the former's brother, Rev. H. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Young are on their way to spend a few months at the coast.

When automobile accidents occur to people in your home town, whom you are well acquainted with, it makes a car owner stop and think if he is not in the wrong by not having full coverage of insurance on his car.

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Local advertising

Monthly Contract 25c per inch.

All advertisement change of copy must be in hands of printers by noon on Tuesday or no change made or advertisements cancelled.

With the agreement already signed and awaiting only the ratification of the provincial and federal legislative bodies; the long drawn-out controversy respecting the natural resources appears to be finished. Long ago, the Dominion government was ready to make the transfer; but the province hung out for better terms—and apparently has secured them.

It takes a live town to make a live newspaper. We are willing to give you as good a small paper as there is in Alberta, but we can not continue to do so with the present amount of advertising. It is up to you.

An Unbiased Opinion of Canadian Wheat Pools

Extracts from final report of Saskatchewan Royal Grain Inquiry Commission, September, 1929.

"We recount briefly some of the achievements of the Pool as we have seen evidence of them.

"Although in operation for a period of only five years, it controls by virtue of its inherent worth and appeal, and without any compulsion; 95 per cent of the crop grown in the prairie provinces. What this means in volume and in exportable surplus in comparison with other countries is fully set out in our Interim Report.

"It owns and operates some 1,435 country elevators out of a total of 5,642 spread over the prairie provinces and in addition, it owns a large percentage of the large terminal elevators.

"It has taken a leading part in helping to open up markets for the prairie grain in China and Japan and other countries, and has placed its handlings in over 60 different ports in Europe.

"It has by its large control of grain been able to carry out a system of more orderly marketing and thereby helped to promote stability in prices.

"In many ways too numerous to detail here the Pool, both directly and indirectly, has meant much to the Pool member."

Have you some piece of machinery, a set of tools, a buggy, or some other farm implement, for which you have no further use but which might be of value to someone, or do you wish to trade or buy one of the above articles? Use classified ads, they usually get results and are an inexpensive way of buying or selling used articles.

Local and General

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McKay of Drumheller were visitors in town on Friday.

Howard Halladay of Wetaaskwin, spent the holiday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Halladay.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Morris and Gordon Young of Bowden spent Christmas in Crossfield, the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Young.

The annual New Year's Eve Ball, under the auspices of the Crossfield Agricultural Society will be held in the U.F.A. Hall on Tuesday evening, Dec. 31st. Come and dance the old year out.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gibson of Theodore, Sask., spent the Christmas holidays at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Gibson and his brother, W. K. Gibson. R. H. Gibson of Olds, also spent the holiday under the parental roof. Mr. Gibson was taken entirely by surprise when his son William came home for Xmas as he had not seen him since 1916.

TO RENT—Five roomed house and garage. Rent \$17.50 a month. Occupied until January 15th. Apply to 12-20-4a. MRS. CHRISTENSEN

Enjoyable Time at Greenwood School Tree and Entertainment

The Greenwood School Christmas tree took place on Monday, December 23rd. Mr. H. May acted as chairman in a very efficient manner. Despite the bad condition of the roads a fair crowd turned out and were treated to a splendid program by the children; also the sketch presented by some of the older pupils was greatly enjoyed.

Father Christmas, represented by Mr. J. Ferguson, presented the gifts off the tree with a few appropriate remarks.

A vote of thanks was tendered to our temporary teacher Mrs. A. Reiber and the accompanist Miss M. Abell; to which was added a vote of condolence to our teacher, Miss, I. Dorsch in her illness. The National Anthem was sung, after which refreshments provided by the ladies was partaken of; everybody left for home after a very jolly evening.

Seed Fair at Olds School of Agriculture on January 3rd

The Alumni Association of the Olds School of Agriculture are holding their winter meeting on Friday, January 3rd. The program takes the form of an afternoon meeting, a banquet at 6 o'clock and an address by some prominent outside speaker, followed by a dance for the Alumni and their friends.

The Seed Fair is held in the afternoon of January 3rd. The prize list provides classes for the different kinds of grains, small seeds potatoes and corn. The prizes are of fair denomination; and the competition is very keen in most classes as these are open to anyone in the province.

The management of the Seed Fair would like to have a large entry, and they invite anyone to bring or send entries to this Fair.

Crossfield Garage Instals New Air Dispenser

The Crossfield Garage have installed for the convenience of their customers an air dispenser, the very latest on the market. All that is necessary for a customer to fill his tires is to set the dial at the number of pounds of air required and when you connect up the hose with your tire the bell rings and continues ringing until the amount has been put in when it stops and the air is cut off automatically.

This does away with the use of gauges and is also a time saver, both to the public and the garage, as you can fill your own tires very quickly and do not need to consult anybody in the garage.

Mr. Baker has also equipped his work shop with the latest machinery and tools which enable him to give a complete service on motor and - automobile work. A good deal of this work has had to be sent out of town heretofore.

With The Curlers

The president and vice president competition was completed last week and the boys representing the vice president came out on the slim end on the horn. They will buy the winners an oyster supper at the Oliver Cafe at some future date.

Play in the Cruickshank Cup got under way on Monday night.

Purvis 14 vs. Thomas 7

Gilmchrist 15 vs. J. Williams 8.

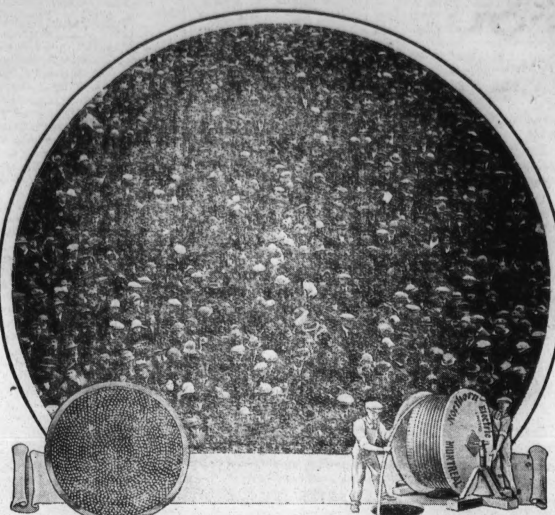
The chinook on Tuesday put an end to the Tuesday night games and also put the damper on scratch games planned for Christmas Day. With colder weather play was resumed in the Cruickshank competition on Thursday night. Results:

Thomas 18 vs. Strals 8

F. Purvis 10 vs. Pogue 8

The bus going to Calgary appears to be doing good business these days. We noticed on Monday morning last that several would-be passengers were left behind.

Don't forget the hockey game on Monday night at 8 o'clock.

2,400 People Converse With Ease Through a Small Lead Tube

Imagine the roar of 2,400 voices confined within the walls of one huge room! What a babel of confusion if the people in that room should try to shout messages to each other! Yet, through a lead tube, only 2½ inches in diameter, 2,400 people may converse at the same time with ease, without confusion and in strict privacy.

This lead tube (illustrated in section above) is the cabling of a telephone cable manufactured in the Montreal plant of the Northern Electric Company, containing over 1,200 pairs of insulated wires, each pair connecting at one end with a telephone instrument and at the other a central exchange. In the large Canadian cities there are scores of such telephone cables.

D. Innis of Condor Died of Exposure

F. Bolton, of the Soldier Settlement Board, reported to Constable J. S. Jarman on Friday, December 20th, that there was a dead man on the highway about six miles south of town. Constable Jarman immediately proceeded to the scene, along with Dr. Whillans, coroner. The body was removed to Crossfield. A search of the body revealed the following letter.

"In case of accident, notify Harold Innis, Condor, Alta."

"Harold, if anything happens to me, I have a suit case and a pack-sack at 340 Seventh Avenue East, full of clothes and lots of things you will know. I have no money. Yours truly, D. Innis."

Investigation proved that the man had died of exposure and no inquest was necessary.

The deceased whose name was David Innis, 49 years of age, was walking from Calgary, apparently to his home at Condor, west of Red Deer, when he was overtaken by the storm; he had endeavored to get into a house near the trail, but the house was locked up and the windows boarded up, so he returned to the road where he collapsed.

His son Harold and Mr. Tuck, arrived in Crossfield on Monday, 23rd instant and took charge of the remains.

The deceased was buried in the Crossfield cemetery on the 24th. Services were held in the United Church by the Rev. Mr. Young. W. Major acted as undertaker.

BELZAC

The Sunday School of St. Clements Anglican Mission held their Christmas tree and party in the U.F.A. hall last Wednesday. The rector Rev. J. T. Adams Cooper in the chair.

Despite the extreme cold weather there was quite a turn out. The evening was spent in games, a dance or two, a few hands at cards, etc. were provided by the ladies in the basement. There were presents for the children both of St. Clements and of Holy Family Mission. The candles were donated by Mr. Evans the postmaster.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has taken over the operation of The Crossfield Chronicle at Crossfield, Alberta and I am not responsible or liable for any debts incurred by Mr. B. A. Fadeny who formerly printed this paper at Crossfield, Alberta. Dated at Crossfield, Alberta, this 21st day of December, 1929.

W. H. MILLER
J. A. H. MILLICAN, Witness.

You Must Tell 'Em to Sell 'Em

Crossfield Defeat Calgary In Opening Hockey Game

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In the second period the play seemed to be more evenly divided. Crossfield again was the first to score; Stevens getting the counter shortly after the face-off. Calgary came back to knot the count when Gerlitz scored. The locals added another, when McFadyen worked in close and blazed a hot one at Shoemaker, who had no chance to save. Morash scoring for Calgary shortly after which made the count 3 all at the end of the second period.

The final period opened up fast with Crossfield having the better of the play. J. Hall got through and scored on a nice individual rush, and he followed this up a few minutes later with another. Stevens also added another counter when he scored after a pretty bit of stick handling. Eddie Gillis got hold of a loose puck near the Crossfield goal and beat Deemer. This proved to be the only goal Calgary scored in the third period and their last of the game. Big Jack Boucock went through the whole Calgary team to score the final goal that gave Crossfield a 7 to 4 victory over the boys from the big town.

It would be hard to pick out a star of the local team as they all played well. Considering this was the first game of the season the class of hockey was surprisingly good and the fans can look forward to many good games this winter.

Calgary—Goal, Red Shoemaker; defense, Al Dippel, Heinie Morash, Eddie Gillis, forwards, E. Gerlitz, J. Dixon, B. King, J. Kromm, L. MacPhee, P. Adams. Crossfield—Goal, A. Deemer; defense, R. Smart, J. Boucock, B. Murdoch, forwards, J. Hall, A. Stevens, N. Campbell, H. McFadyen, G. Young.

Pucks and Passes

Deemer looked good in goal and with more practice will be hard to beat. Bobby Smart and Jack Hall seem to improve with age, both were hitting on all cylinders on Wednesday.

Big Roy Boucock is a clumsy player and a sixty minute man at that.

Young Stevens was possibly the hardest worker on the ice, and he has speed plus.

N. Campbell done a lot of valuable back checking.

George Young is a comer and he can both give and take his bumps.

Young McFadyen's goal was a nice effort.

The local defense kept Mr. Gerlitz well covered up and he could not get away.

The best man on the ice for Calgary was Red Shoemaker in goal.

Murdoch proved to be a hard man to get around.

One penalty was all that was handed out. A record.

CHURCH SERVICES**United Church**

Sunday, December 29th.

Sunday School..... 2 p. m.

W. WOLOCH, Supt.

Evening Service..... 7:30 p. m.

Special New Year's Service

Plan to worship with us.

Church of the Ascension

Sunday after Christmas

Holy Communion at 8:30 a. m.

Evensong and Carols at 7:30 p. m.

The public are invited to come to all of these services.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC**Train Time at Crossfield****Northbound—**

No. 521, daily 2:38 a. m.

No. 523, daily (Ex. Sun.) 9:31 a. m.

No. 525, daily 3:50 p. m.

Southbound—

No. 522, daily 6:02 a. m.

No. 524, daily 1:15 p. m.

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**Money Well Employed**

There are opportunities to put your surplus funds to profitable use without indulging in dangerous speculations.

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